The Ties That Bind

GLENLYON NORFOLK SCHOOL

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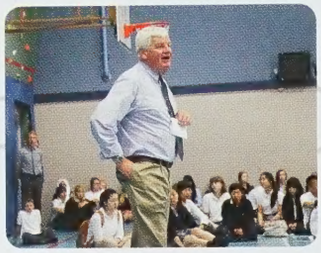
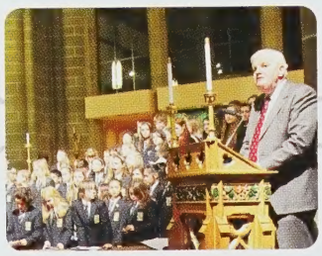
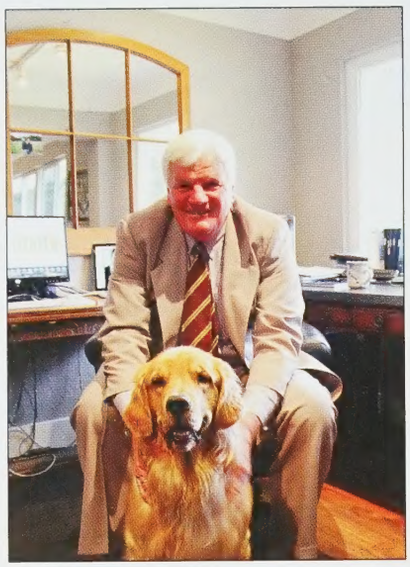



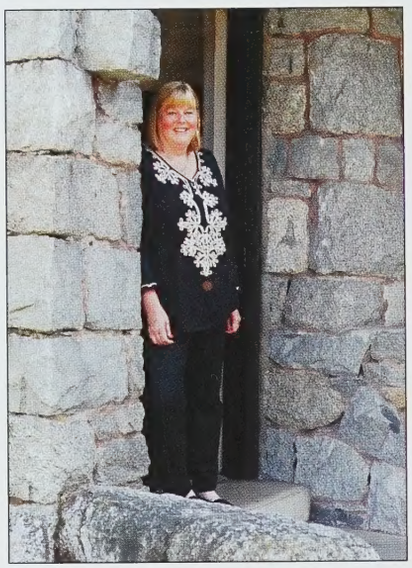


Mr. Simon Bruce-Lockhart
Head of School

As we complete our year, I would like to thank Eva Riis Culver who is leaving us to return to Ontario for family reasons. Eva came to us 8 years ago as the Director of Advancement and has built the Annual Appeal from virtually nothing and successfully led us through Campus Transformation 1 – the building of the artificial turf field and our glorious Hall.

Grads, you are a very confident, mature grade who are respectful of one another, supportive of one another, and kind to one another. Never underestimate the importance of those qualities. George Saunders, in his viral graduation speech to the students at Syracuse University, suggests that one thing young people should ask of older folk – like me – is "Looking back, what do you most regret?" He replies that "What I regret most in my life are failures of kindness." I commend you most highly for your role modeling of the power of kindness to the rest of the school.

As the work force shrinks and the population bulge ages, and the globalization of everything continues, you need to prepare to be nimble, to be able to adapt to new opportunities. I would suggest to you, however, that there has never been a time of greater opportunity for people who possess creativity, adaptability and grit. Add to those tenacity, because all those wonderful qualities are not going to lead to success in every endeavor - but they will certainly lead to success in the long run. And keep your kindness. Grad of 2014, thank you for all you have given to the school, go out and conquer the world – and, as ever, haste ye back!



Mrs. Jean Bigelow
Junior School Principal

What a great year we have had! From the final birthday celebration in the fall to the last trip to Jimmy Chicken Island, our students have worked hard, played hard and made amazing progress. Our curriculum is incredibly enriched and can be very demanding at times and it is a delight to see our students doing their best with truth and courage every day in every way! They embody the attributes of the learner profile while making the most of the many opportunities life at the Beach provide! Our teachers and staff are the hardest working collection of people I have ever had the pleasure of knowing and we all benefit from their dedication to the school.

As you leaf through this yearbook you will see memories being made and lasting friendships forged. This year we say a fond farewell to Mrs. Tanner who has been a beloved teacher at GNS since 1990. We wish her our very best as she embarks on her next great adventure and I hope she will stay in contact with her friends and colleagues in the future. Earlier this year we said goodbye to Bill Fraser our long serving maintenance man. While he is missed we know he is enjoying life in retirement here and at his place up island!

To the students, you are what make this school magic! Your happy outlook and enthusiasm for school life make coming to school each day a joy to us all. I have a plaque in my office that says "Life is good at the beach!" and it surely is!

Looking back on our year

Mr. Jake Burnett
Middle School Principal

It has become a tradition that, every year, I present every member of the Middle School with a small gift. This year I wanted to present a book. In fact, many different books, about many different values – about how to shake off those that are questionable, and how to develop and sustain those that are admirable. The original series was written in 1972, by Roger Hargreaves and are known as the Little Miss and the Mr. Men collection.

I have chosen them because, in a short space of time, they are good reminders of our uniqueness, yet they are also good at sharing the sorts of really positive values in life that will serve us best.

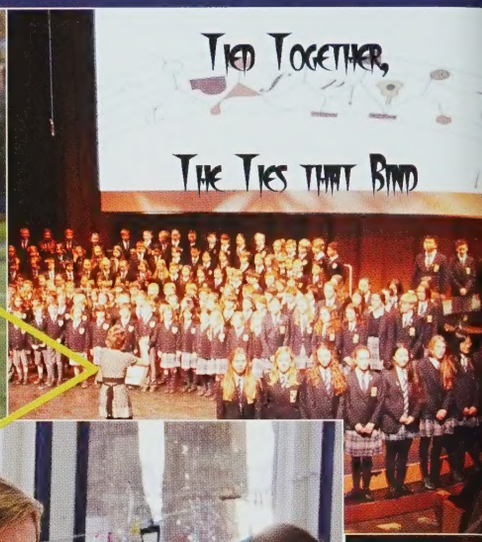
One of the most valuable points about every character in the series is that no matter the shape, the colour, the size or the gender – the values which are part of their lives of every Mr. Man and Little Miss are universal and, often, intertwined. And so, I offer a challenge to the Middle School. Over the summer, read the book you were given. And then swap it with a friend. And then swap that one with another friend and on and on and on. See how many of the series you can read. There are 79 in total. Share the good and the positive to stress what it is to be 'happy' or 'helpful' or 'sunshine' or 'fun' and reflect on the ill-advised or the poor choice to avoid being seen as 'stubborn' or 'fickle' or 'bad' or even 'scary'.

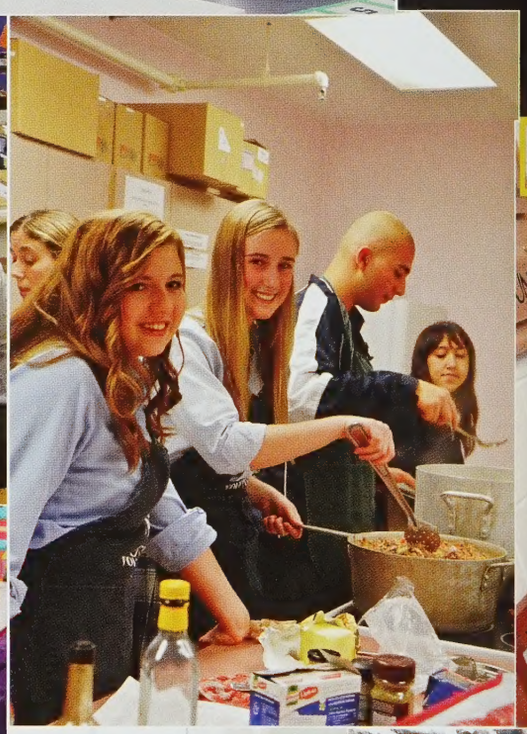
And so I end, with a request for action from the students – something I know they are so good at!

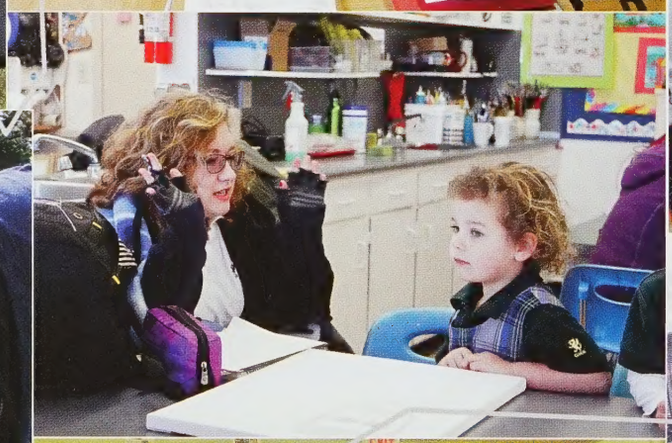
Mr. Rick Calderwood
Senior School Principal

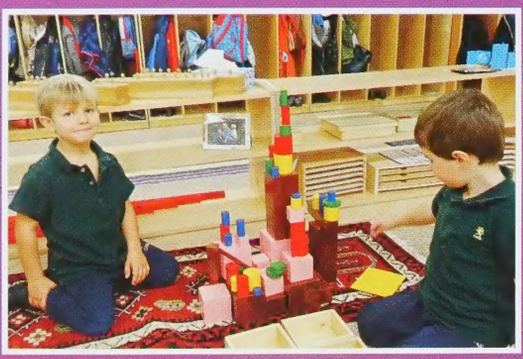
It is time to recognize another successful year and celebrate the many successes of ALL our students and especially, our graduates. Winston Churchill claimed that "success is going from failure to failure without a loss of enthusiasm." In my biology classroom, I tell my students that success can be defined as living a long life, leaving lots of progeny and not getting eaten! On the stage or the field, in debate, in the visual arts display, in service, in university acceptances, in scholarships, in the evolution of fine character, it has got to the point, that I confess I cannot contain all the variety of GNS successes in one short report! It is sufficient to say our students have learned from their successes AND failures. I would like to recognize our community, who work so hard to make GNS a successful place. I also wish to pay tribute to the members of our teaching faculty who will be retiring. Ms. Sandy Drever has been with us for 26 years; the vast majority as our Athletic Director. Mrs. Jane Hicks has filled many leadership roles in our school over the past 33 years. To our grads: Far be it for me to tell you how to define success. That is something you will discover for yourselves. We only know that we are very proud of every one of you. I thank you and your parents for your many and varied contributions to our Glenlyon Norfolk community. We wish you happiness and success -- on your own terms – and, as a biologist, let me remind you "The road to success is dotted with many tempting parking spaces." Don't park for too long.....or you might get eaten.

Tied Together, The Ties that Bind









JK JD

Ms. Joanne

Ms. Amalia

Hayden Barabas

Elise Beiderwieden

Evie Beiderwieden

Lance Hodgson

Terran Johal

Stephanie MacKay

Ronan McArdle

Alastair Morphet

Sanjana Rao

Clare Sangha

Jacky Shen

Siddharth Shetty

Gus Steves

Sydney Stewart

Ms. Jenny

Ms. Vicki

JK VW

Emily Allen

Riti Arun

Henry Breen

Tasha Hartfield

Coen Hlady

Joshua Leung

Alexander MacKay

Wyatt Martel

Mia Nadra

Anna Roach

Alexander Saklas

Nyjal Singh

Rowyn Tiampo

Alexis Tuyssuzian

Nolan Wharton

things we love about jk

Alex

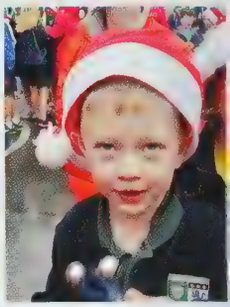
"... playing on the playground and the beach and nature school."

Alexis

"...the Learner Profile pals."

Riti and Mia

"... playing in the Crow's Nest with my friends."



K BE

Mr. Eagle

Ms. Johnson

Gracie Brooks

Georgia Down

Noah Grand

Nathan Holtum

Joelle Lo

Duncan Marshall

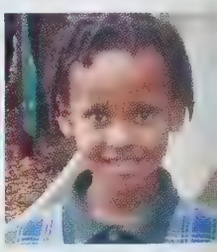
Calla McRae

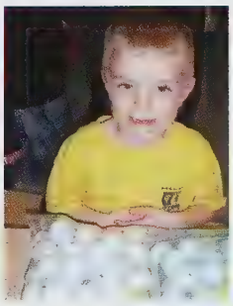
Daniel Mulligan

Christian Mundstock

Sienna Shanks

Samuel Yu





Ms. Sebastian

Mrs. Graham

K JG

Kaleb Armstrong

Sasha Baterina

Julian Bezeau

Adam Cotterell

Tristan Doell

Luca Finn Storan

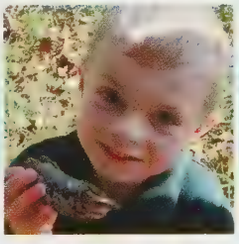
Jessica Hier

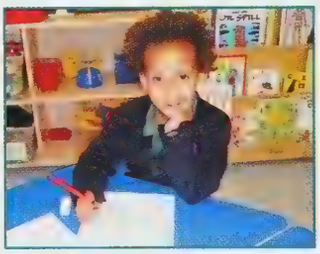
Cleo Hunt

Elioth Majewski

Isabel Roach

Reese Suntok



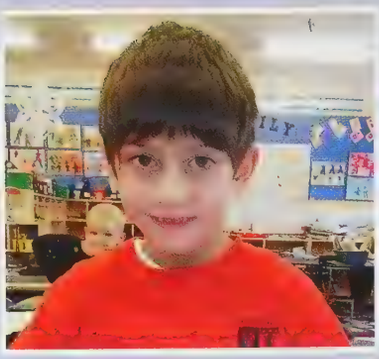


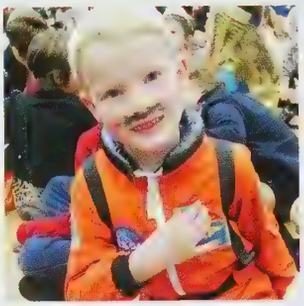
things we love about kindergarten

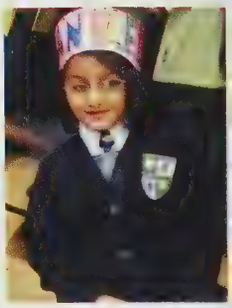
Isabel
"...making Claude Monet paintings and Remembrance Day, because we got to go to the other campus and there were people singing."

Luca
"....Free choice, because in some of the free choices we get to dump the Lego bin and that is when you find the cool stuff, and Mandarin because it is the most likely class to get house points."

Jessica
"...the Winter Quebec Carnaval, because we played hockey and the Terry Fox run because I liked the running."







1 KW

Mia Clarkson

Sean Dallin

Nathan Delorme

Phoebe Dendes

Dee Govender

Luca Hildebrand

Jagger Johal

Sophie Jolivet

Ryan MacPherson

Lucy McArdle

Mary Anne McAuley

Izzie Morphet

Sierra Myers

Diem Orser

Nathan Rogers

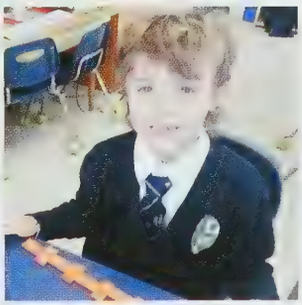
Emery Smith

Cormac Sweeney

Keira Vasko

Griffin Webb

Gavin Wright



1 SW

Blaise Beaulieu

Daniel Bekker

Alison Campbell-Wright

Leo Colquhoun

Dylan Duquette

Graydon Eder

Paige Hartfield

Tyler Hemphill

Emily MacMillan

Aleem Mir

Arwyn Morris

Peter Norris

Jordan Peterson

Asha Phillips

Theo Serowka

Kate Shaw-Lewis

Aliyah Smith

Avery So

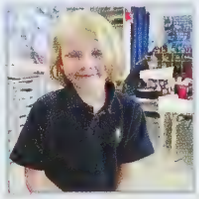
Jack Starke

Connor Steves

Ewan Webber-Smith

GAP

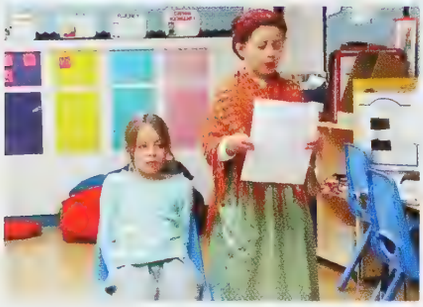
things we love about grade 1



Lucy
"We get to do really fun math."

Keira
"Our trip to the chicken farm, because we got to see lots of animals and we got to see what the inside of an egg looks like."

Theo
"Inquiry, because I like taking action and I like learning stuff which I didn't know about. I also like inquiry a lot because I like to read books and do research."



2 HB

Ms. Breen

Amelie Bate

Ruby Carrow

Kimi De Gea

Marcus DeMeo

Nicholas Delorme

Taite Doerksen

Daniel Gilbert

Charles Gosselin

Isla Hunt

Warren Jiang

Mitchell Little

Tristan Montano

Alexander Muir

Ronin Nair

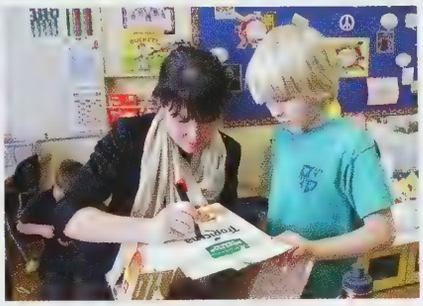
Sophie Pathak

Caitlyn Ritchie

Morgan Shanks

Ellie Sutton

Kate Wood



Mrs. McCall

Ms. Newman

2 JN

Oliver Acomba

Anika Benson

Sophie Bosenberg

Evangeline Cotterell

Olivia Doell

Lily Dunn

dam Hoogewerf

Dome Jiang

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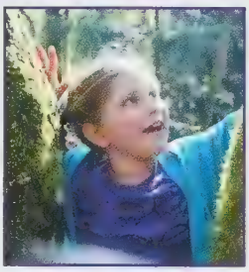

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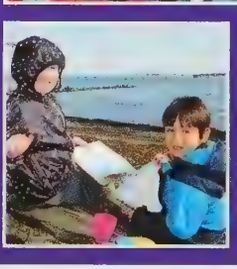
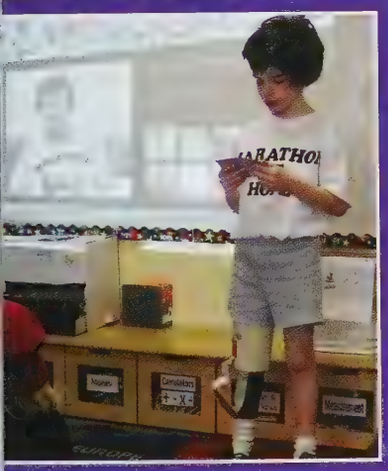
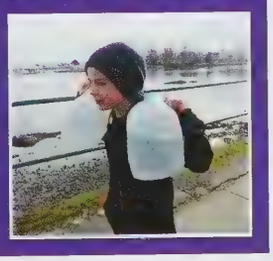
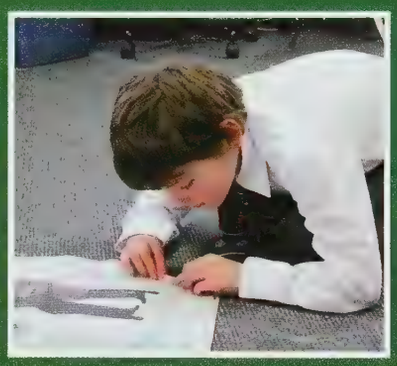
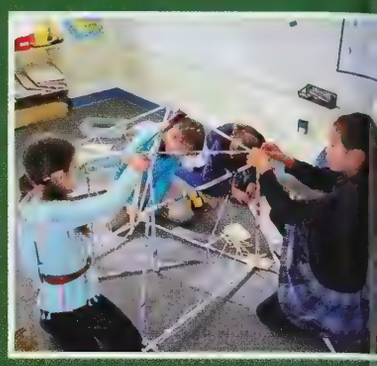


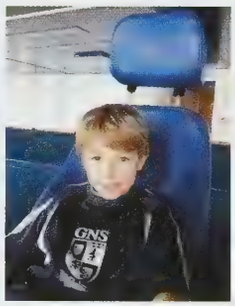




things we love about grade 2

Special Days: Market Place, Diversability Day, Water Day & Setting our salmon free
Creative projects: DIVER-city, NOT-A-BOX, Symmetry, Bottle cap mural, Dioramas & Posters
Chess & Math games, Daily 5 & Book Clubs
Dancing, Friendship and Happiness

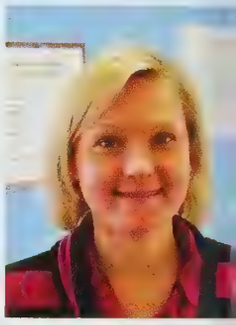





3 MC

Ms. Crow

Mrs. Stellingwerff



Lizu Aitken

Björn Allerdissen

Angelina Blum

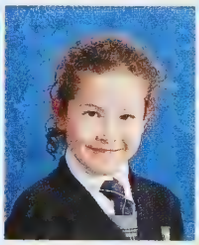
Alyssa Chew

Sophia DeMeo

Mats Dorsam

Louisa Eder

Emilia Giommi


Aoife Golonka

Jacques Jolivet

Hunter Kambites

Ryan Killoran

Chanel Lafrance

Ian McArdle

Avery Myers

Dallas Quakenbush

Callum Shillington

Alexander Vroom

Spencer Wright

Shunkichi Yamamoto

Mrs. Gutosky

Mrs. Crossley

3 HC

Martin Allerdissen

Dawn Beck

Tess Crocker

Hunter Dagg

Cashel Denford

Isabella Down

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Nathan Fourt

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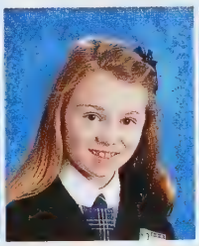
Eva Grand

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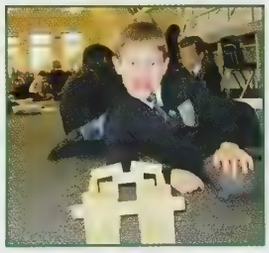


things we love about grade 3

Alex

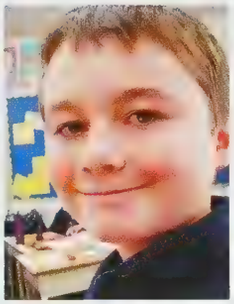
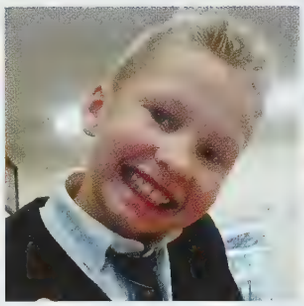
"... when we had the Space Sleepover in the gym because I liked sleeping in the gym and I liked the dinner in the music room and breakfast in the library."

Naimah

"... is that we are all a big community in the Coach House."

Chanel

"... robotics, because in robotics you get to program robots using computers and math to put the rotations for the wheels to complete missions or challenges for NASA."

4 IM

Mr. Mollenhauer

Mrs. Kerr

Meheq Bawa

Benny Blum

Rhys Butterfield

Devan Duquette

Drew Erickson

Nathaniel Frank-Hicks

Finley Hildebrand

Gillian Howe

Lainey Hunt

Connor Karas

Makena Lee

Sophie Li

Cameron Little

Jaiden Lo

Helena Mundstock

Deaton Pollock

Calla Roberts

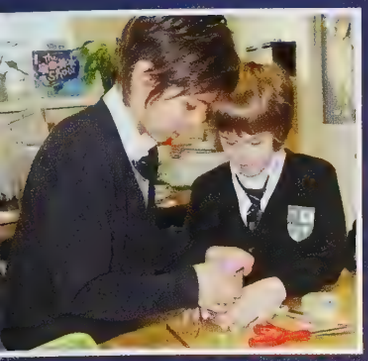
Connor Roberts

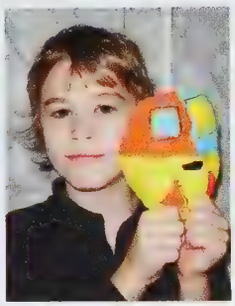
Grace Serfas

Ella Stanger

Harrison Starke

Gabriel Zack





Ms. Sullivan

Mrs. Morehen

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Miia Bekker

Jillian Betts

Rishi Kapil

Alyssa Korol-Filbey

Matthew McCoey

Olivia Morphet

Anya Nadra

Raine Orser

Howard Pollock

Juliet Prosalendis

Alison Roberts

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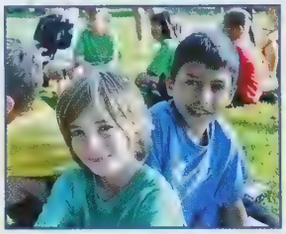
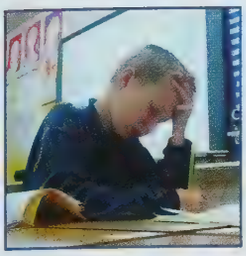
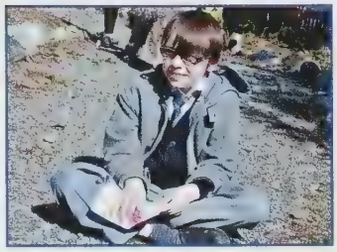
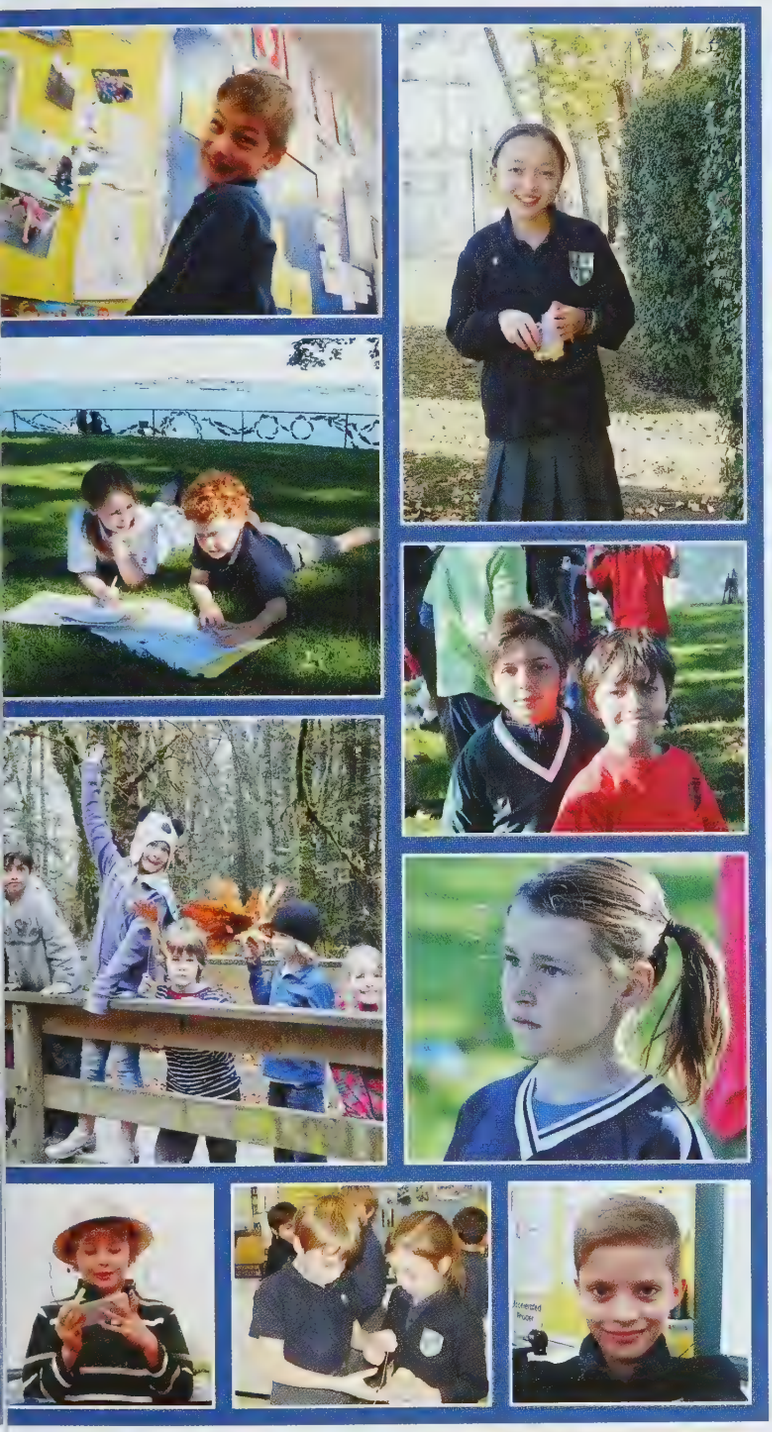
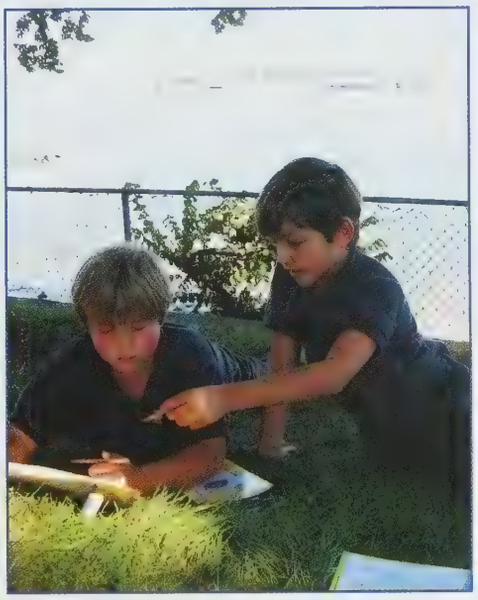
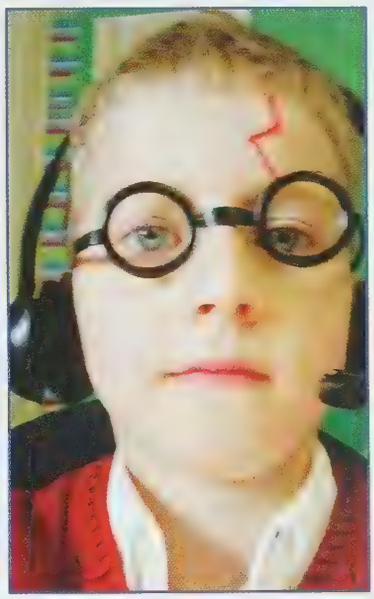








things we love about grade 4

Anya and Jillian

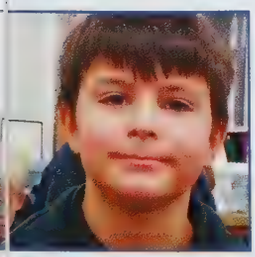
"...Camp Thunderbird, because we were excited to do archery and learn new things."

Flora and Anna

"... the media unit, because we got to make our own jingle and make pretend commercials."

Hannah

"...the Goldstream overnight, because we got to go on a nature walk in the park at night!"



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Mrs. Tanner

Daimeohn Chapman

Francesca Cumberbirch

Meaghan Ellard-Webster

Sofie Finn Storan

Giulia Giommi

Sophia Glatiotis

Tara Golonka

Alexander Gonin

Dylan Hemphill-Theriault

Katherine Hofer

Melissa Lee

Julia McDermott

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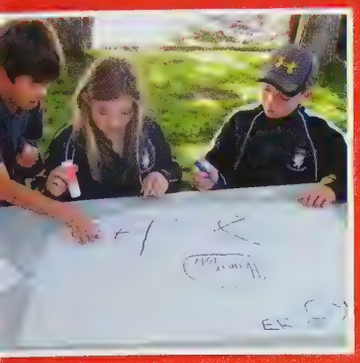
Brooke Taylor

Lily Wieczorek



Ms. Robertson

Mrs. Stee

Mr. Brooks

5 BB

Rohin Arun

Connor Bosenberg

Ella Brown

Madison Davits

Londyn Denford

Federica di Frassineto

Sheila Ellard-Webster

Ian Ferguson

ekhil Govender

Nathan Jackson

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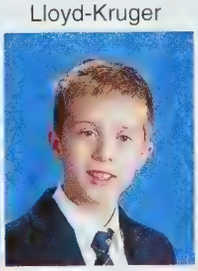
Kristjan Shoemaker

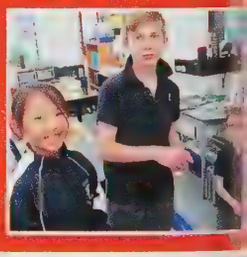

Finnbar Sweeney

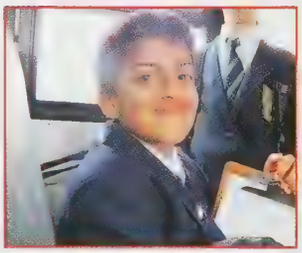
Lauren Twamley

Sophia Vasko

Annalise Wall

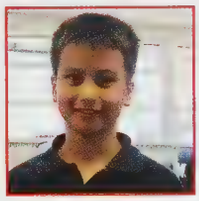
MORE
PHILLIES
more
TROUBLE!!





things we love about grade 5

Exhibition, Camp Imadene, Bike Camp, basketball, the beach, poetry, whip war, badminton



Nathan

"... Camp Imadene, because we got to stay for three days and we had time to do lots of things while we were there."

Melissa

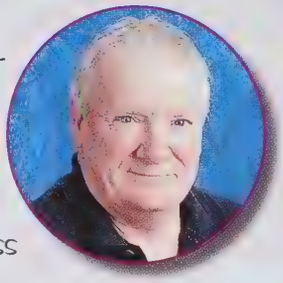
"...I love the learning that we did because it makes me knowledgeable."

Sophie

"...Art, because you get to make stuff and I like to learn about different types of art."

The Final Chapter...

All good things must come to an end-- After many years of service to the GNS community, we said goodbye to Mrs. Tanner and Bill Fraser. They are both superstars in our books. We wish them both all the best on this next exciting phase of their lives. We will miss them!



Mr. Bennet

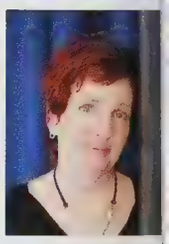
Mr. Bowers

Mr. Brambley

Ms. Cross

Mrs. Dabbs

Ms. Emmerson



Mme. Farmer

Mrs. Fletcher

Mrs. Fosdick

Mrs. Giommi

Ms. Hawkiins

Mrs. Illman

Miss. Lee

Mrs. Marchildon

Mrs. Masson

Mr. McAllister

Mrs. Mora

Mrs. Munoz

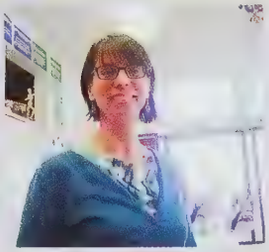
Mrs. Riis-Culver

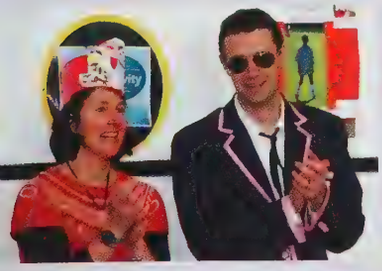
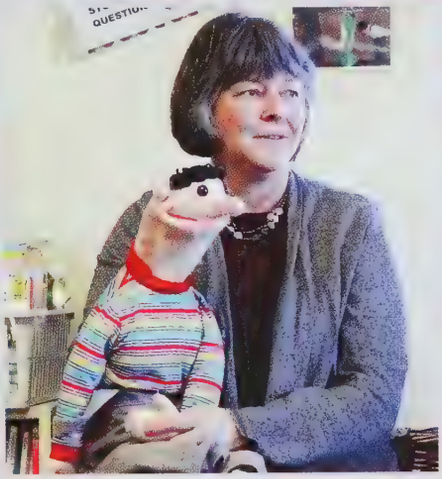
Mrs. Stead

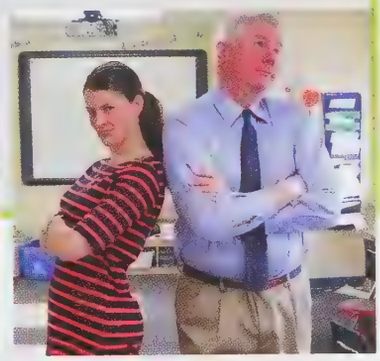
Mr. Tyrrell

Mrs. Wilson

Staff





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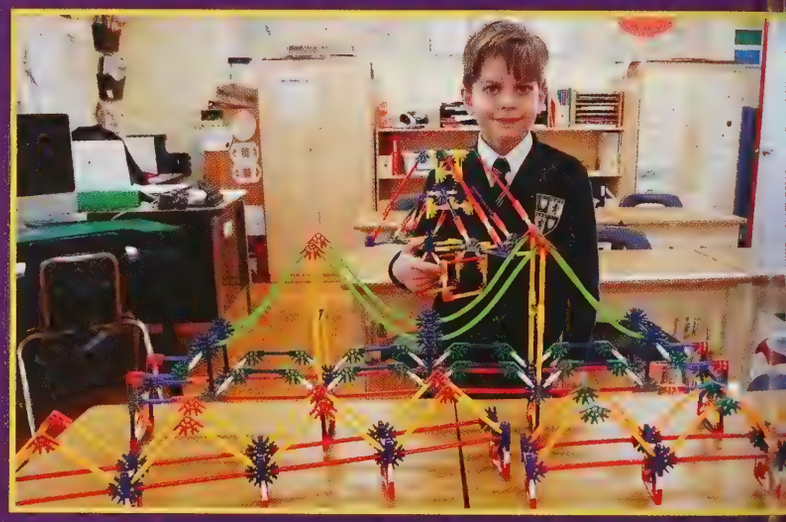

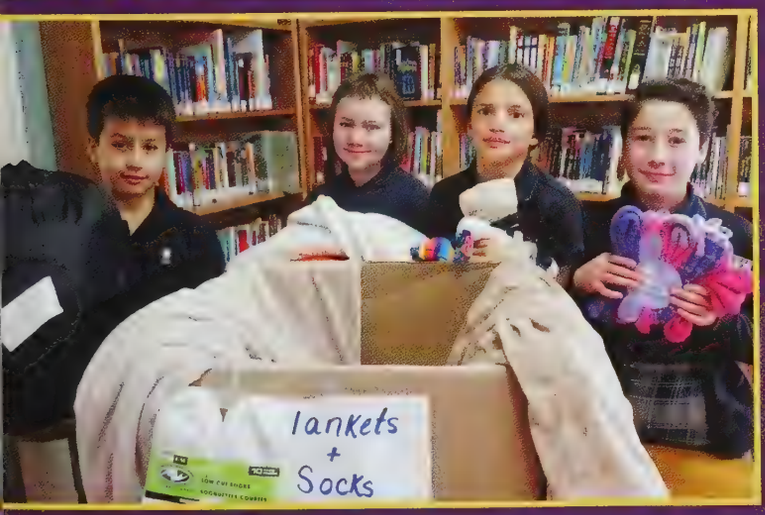
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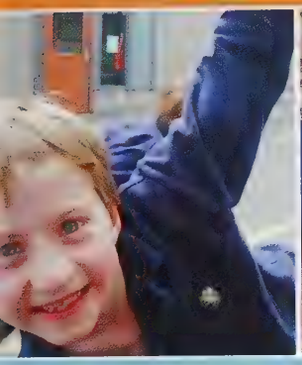
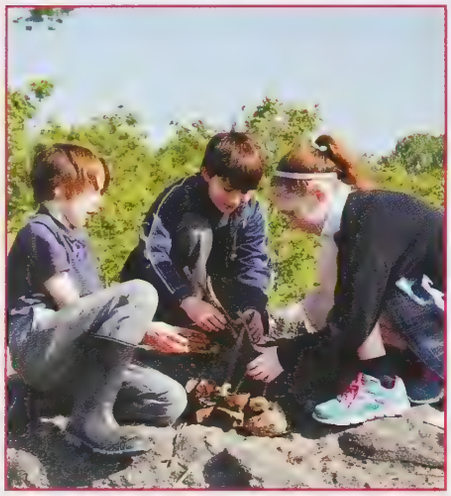
+
Socks

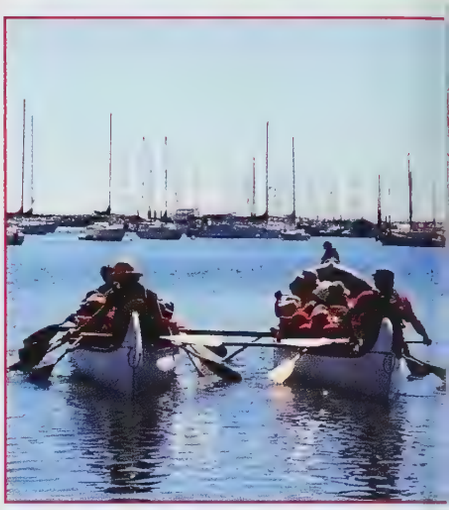
Junior School

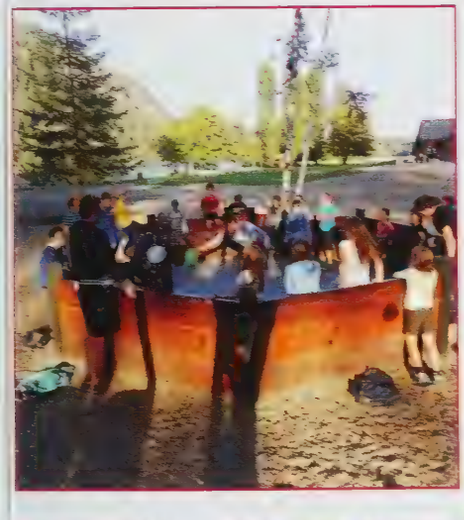
Family Album



The Great Outdoors

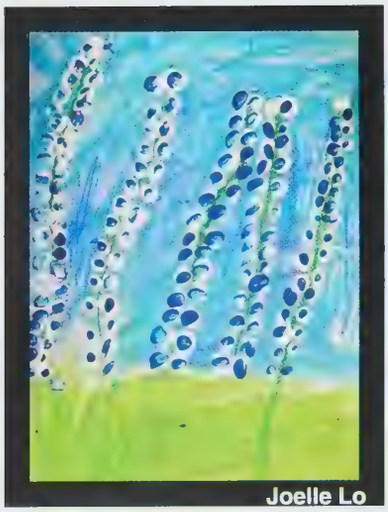






Historical Halloween

Family Fun Night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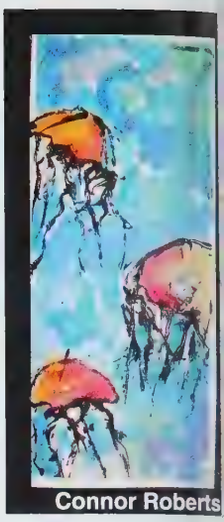

Connor Roberts

The Plant

Smooth emerald leaves
Fuzzy jade herbaceous stem
Hard thin fibrous roots

- Eva Grand

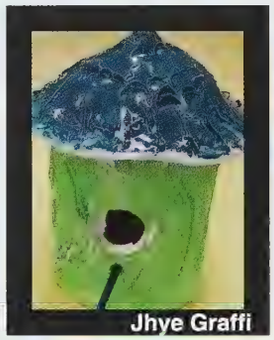
Drifting Seeds

Seeds drift in the wind
Eventually, they land
In the ground to sprout

- Jacob Hier

Guilia Giommi

Morgan Shanks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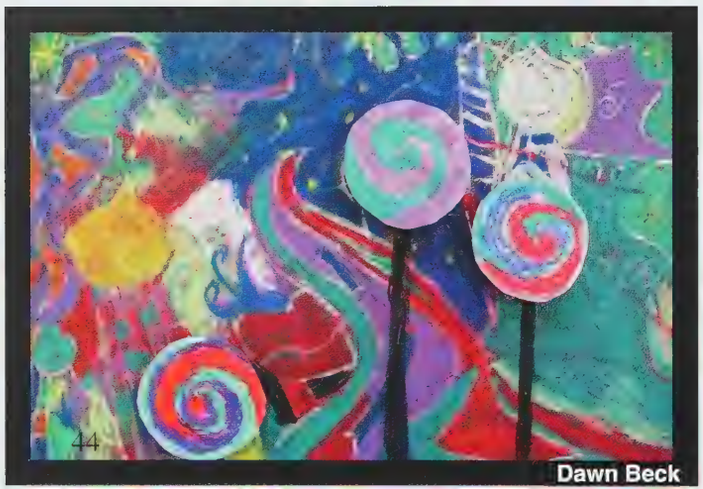

Dawn Beck

Cashel Denford

My Perception of Time

Time
always ticks
and glides
slowly
like a
bird through
the wind.

It whispers,
serenity.
Peace.

A clock ticks
and stops
between seconds.

Like a flustered choir
it
flies
it whispers.

It flows.

It sings.

- Meaghan Ellard-Webster

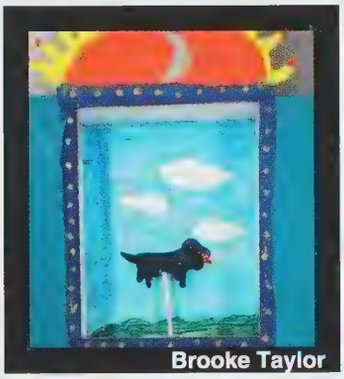
Paradise Flower

P aradise flower
L ittle and unique
A cross the hill
N ature is beautiful
T o life

- Louisa Eder

Sasha Baterina

Londyn Denford

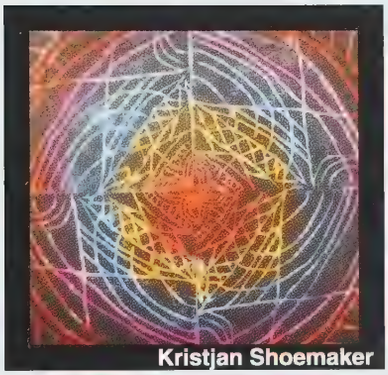

Brooke Taylor

Gabe Zack

The Stem

S weet fruit
T all stock
E merge from the ground
M agnificent

- Alex Vroom


Kristjan Shoemaker

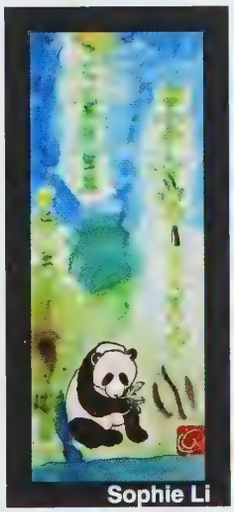
Lily Dunn

Matthew McCoey

Tomorrow

Tomorrow is a chance to learn
Tomorrow is like a door slowly creaking open.
A chance
for new opportunities,
and to make wrong things
right.
Tomorrow is a second chance.

- Lily Wieczorek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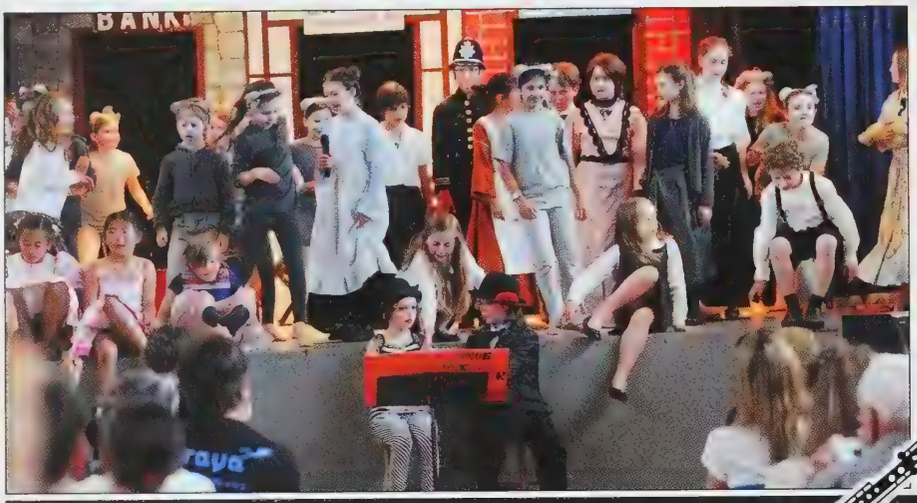


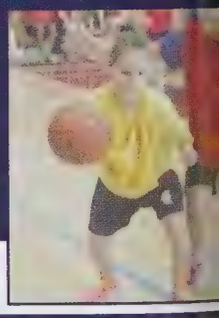
All Things

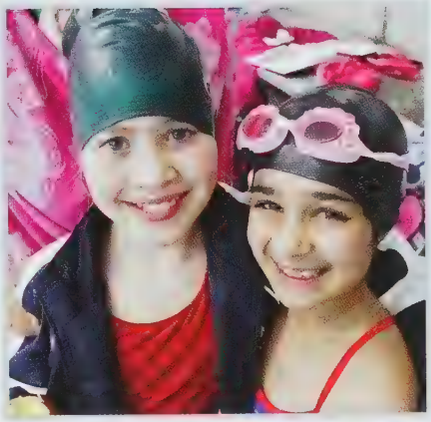
We are composers! We are singers! We are performers! We are music makers!

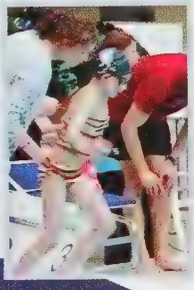
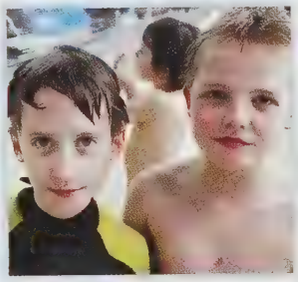
Choir concerts, dancing and singing to songs from around the world, Monday morning singing assemblies, composing symphonies, inventing our own musical notation, playing the recorder and ukulele, performing in RATS! with the Musical Theatre Club..... Fun was had by all in the music room this year!

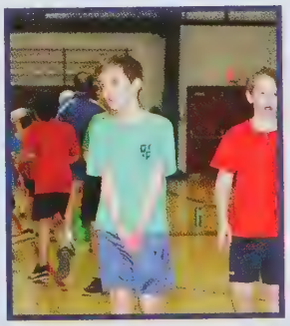
Musical

GNS







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Junior Sports

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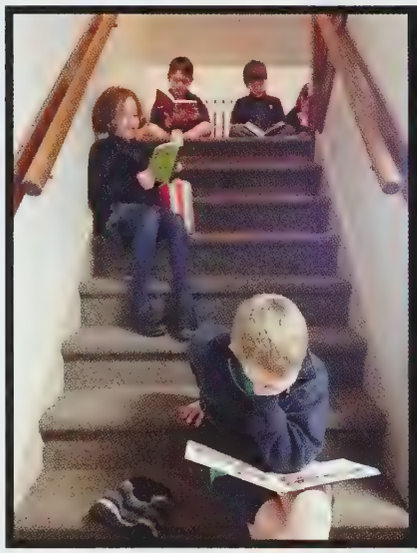

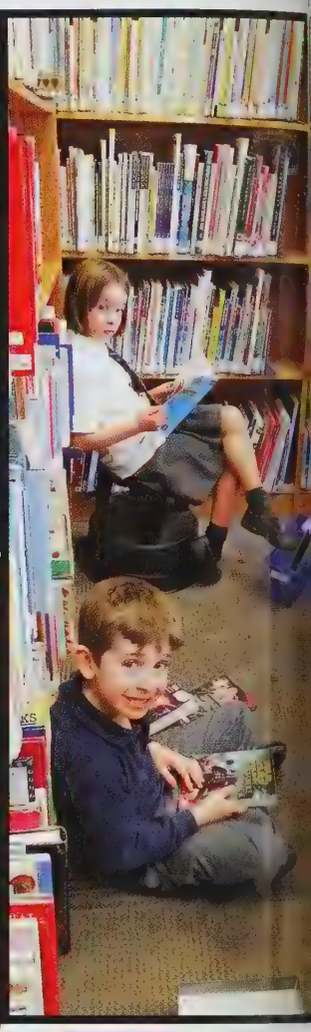

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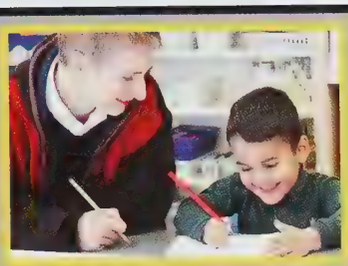
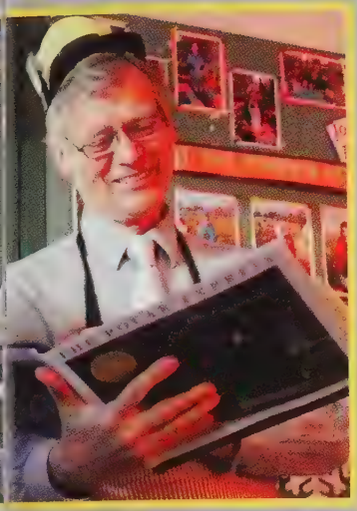
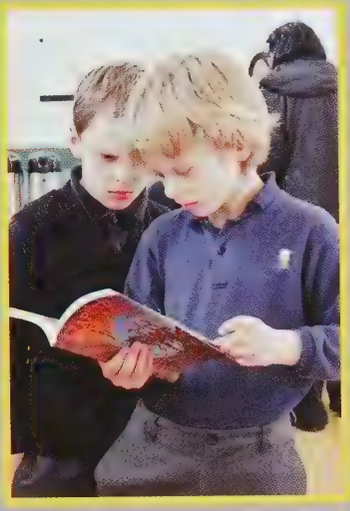
What's your favourite story?

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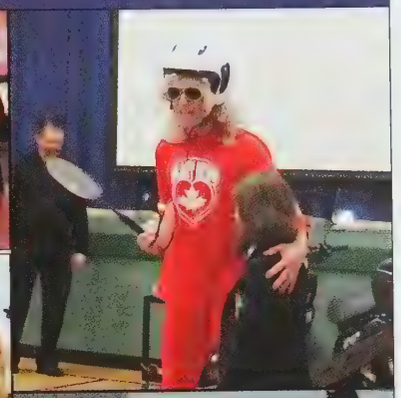

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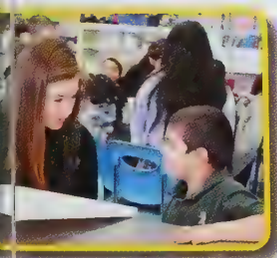

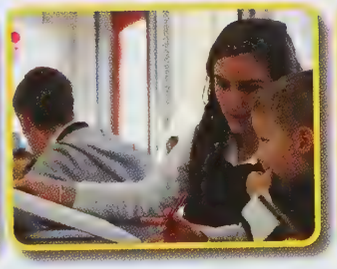

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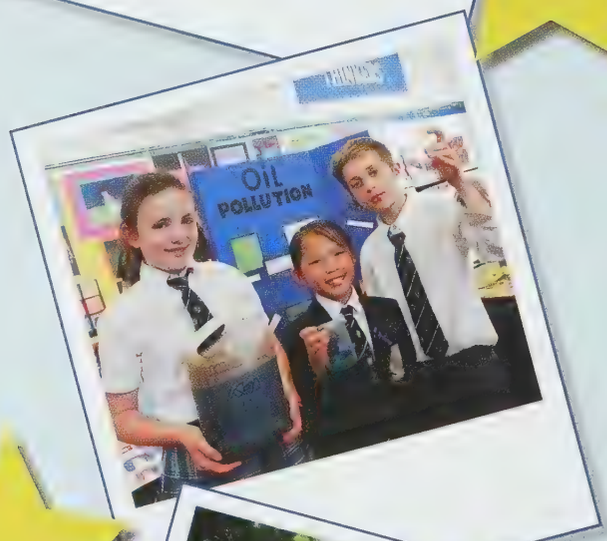

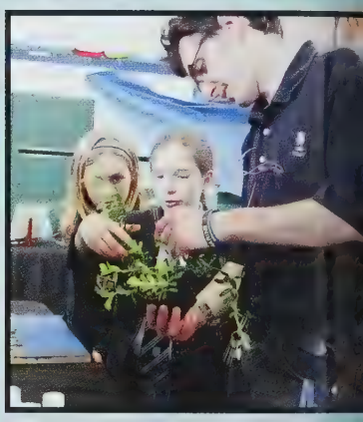

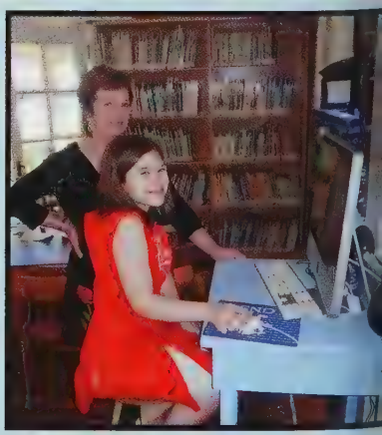

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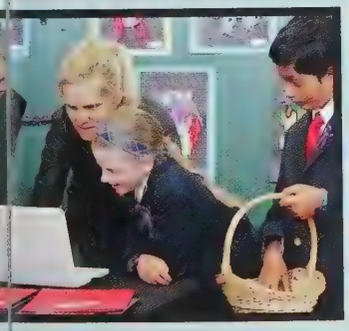
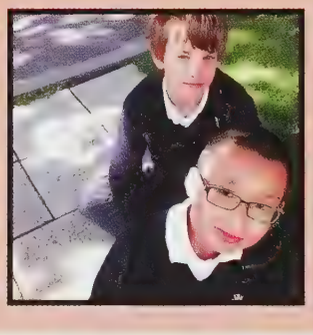


"My favourite homeform memories were in the mornings when we share stories from the night before. I like it because we get to know each other more."
-Chanmyung K.



6 CM

Ms. Cannell

Mr. MacDonald

Ethan Dickinson

Hailey Gascoigne

Camille Germain

Izzy Irvine

Chanmyung Kim

Deandra Livora

Jackson Miller

Callum Robertson

Caitlin Steves

Jakob Svorkdal

Megan Vroom

Robin Zhang

Amy Zhao

"My favourite homeform memory is when we played Red Hot Couch with Ms. D. It was hilarious and so much fun!"
-Maiya H.M.

Ms. Davidson

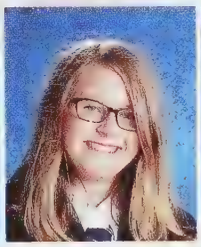
6 D

rin Addison

Matthew Alexander

Anastasia Castro

Kate Crocker


Maddie Harris

Maiya Hernandez-Morrison

Tess McCaig

Cameron McElvaine

Ronen Somogyi

Reid Thompson

Michaela Vandenham

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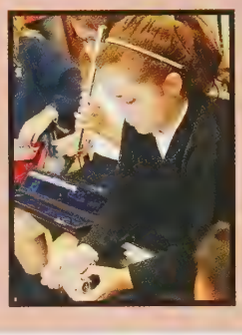
Sam Zhao

"My favourite homeform memory was working on Culturefest and presentation day. It was fun to work with my teachers and class then answer questions and give food to the older kids."
- Liam H.



6 H

Mr. Henry

Ava Acomba

Beth Ankersen

Drake Erickson

Annissa Granegger

Chloe Hill-Huse

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Katie Hurst

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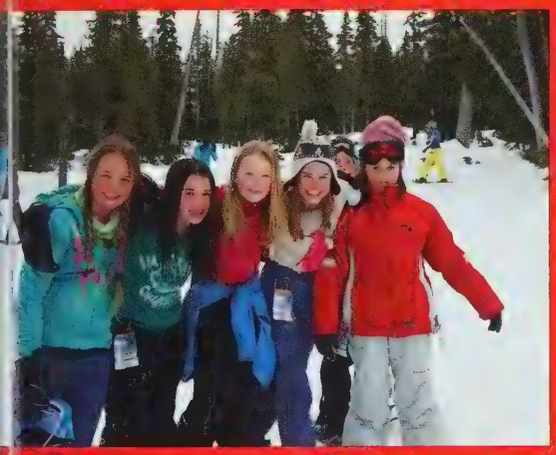
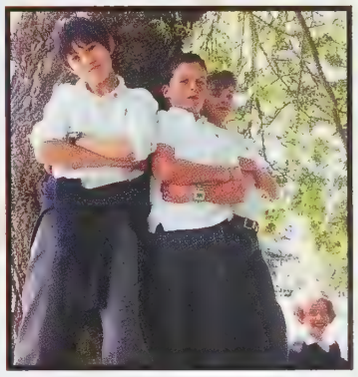
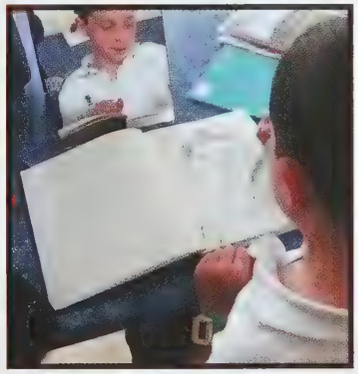
John Windle



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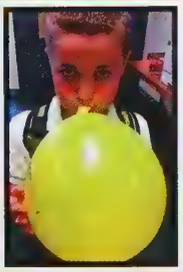


"My favourite memories of homeform have been in the mornings before class when Mr. Ollech would tell us strange but funny news and give us information on how much money different athletes earned."
- Manon D.

7 OH

Mr. Ollech

Ms. Hughes

Manon Damant

Fallyn Denford

Henry Down

Colby Earnhart

Lewis Fallis

Noah Fekete

Siobhan Golonka

Nicole Gonin

Anthony Hartnell

Emma Hofer

Ella Hoogewerf

Rhys Norman

Ian Prescott

Nolan Smith

Lynden Taylor

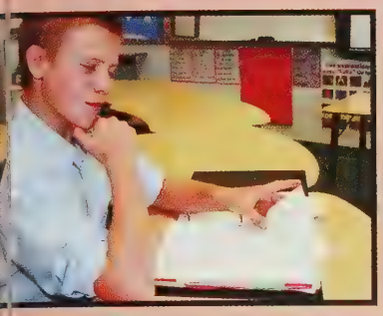
Emily Thompson

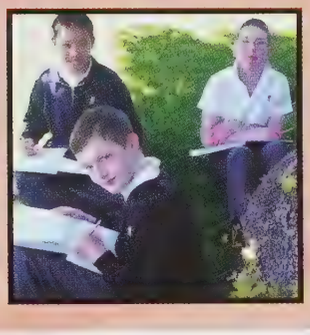
Rebecca Vesey

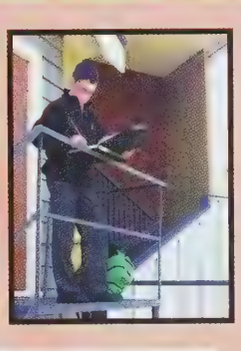
Alex Wells

Harry Zhang

"My favourite homeform memories are playing 'heads up, seven up' in morning homeform and coming to the art room after lunch to read. Ms.Stott and Ms.Edson are the best!!"
- Lucy Z.







Ms. Stott

Ms. Edson

7 SE

Mark Barr

Iain Betts

Cassidy Brumby

Gaby Girard

Christopher Graham

Evan Guildford

Sydney Hemphill

Iancy Huang

Karsten Lund

Bree McElvaine

Annie McLeod

Henry Morrison

Kaya Oro Martin

William Reid

Frank Sun

Liam Turner

Maia Vasko

Leah Zack

Lucy Zhang

"My favourite memory with my homeform class is when we had this one Language Arts class we had a huge discussion on memories about going to the dentist. And then we debated if we liked the dentist or not."
- Ale D.

7 WD

Ms. Waugh

Ms. Doerksen

Ciaran Breen

Kate Brown

Thomas Dansereau

Di Deng

Alessandra di Frassineto

Rachel Diment

Matthew Geng

Darrian Heatherington

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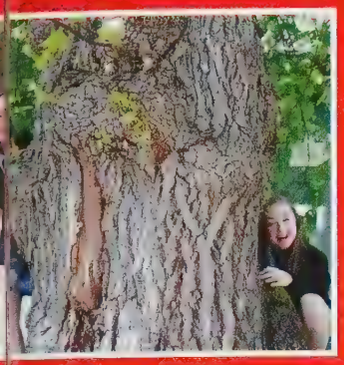

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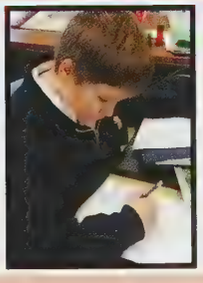


"My favourite memory of homeform is how we have student of the week. Every week a new student is chosen and we go up to the board and everyone writes nice things around you. It is great to see how others perceive us." - Carrie VC.

8 PB

Mr. Burnett

Ms. Pagett

Thomas Allan

Alan Chen

Bronte Denford

Angus Fraser-Brown

Anna Harama-Bedard

Chloe Korol-Filbey

Camden Leith

Leo Livora

Natasha Lloyd-Kruger

Robyn MacMillan

Niki Marriott

Kristopher Neilson

Bridgette Norwood

Angus Silver

Millar Smith

Marissa Smithson

Cassandra Stead

Bjorn Svorkdal

Takahiro Tanaka

Carrie Van Cleave

Patrick Wieczo

"My favourite memories from my HF are early morning chats with Ms. Tisot, Mr. Pimlot, and my friends because we all get a couple of extra minutes to connect and start our day off right. Also, Ms. Tisot giving us candy during DEAR." -Tori W.

Ms. Tisot

Mr. Pimlott

8 TP

Kate Addison

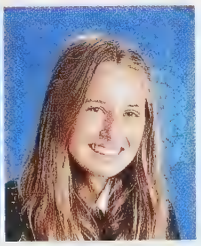
Madeline Berry

Anna Ciceri

Ben Djukastein

Andrea Egan

Heather Ellard-Webster



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Jane Glowicki

Lucas Hoelscher

Drew Jackson

Desiree Leal

Brian Lee

Michael Norris

Jack Prosalendis

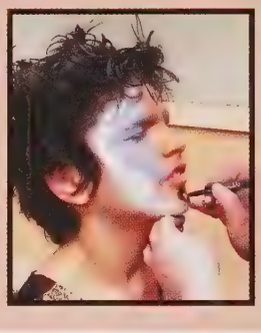
Isabel Sweeney

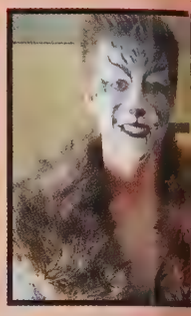
Hamish Vaughan-Wimmer

Tori Windle

Marissa Young

"One of our favourite homeform memories from this year were when Ms. Vallance shared stories of her mornings and her children who are very entertaining."
- Jenna M. & Stella M.





8 VB

Ms. Vallance

Mr. Brice

Lyndon Arfield

Nikolas Crabtree

Sam Crocker

Lucas Darke

Andrea DeMeo

Caitlin Forster-Coull

Joel Lioudakis

Grace Martin

Stella McCaig

Jenna Miller

Renee Rathwell

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Runze Wang

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Shota Yamamoto

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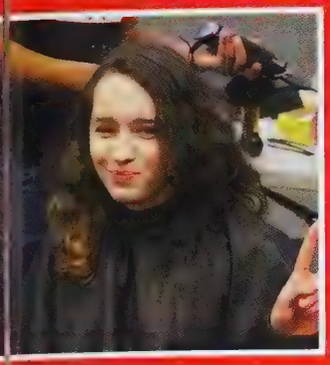

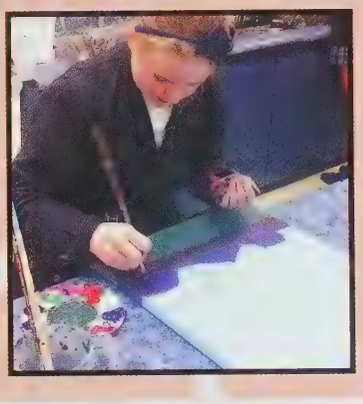

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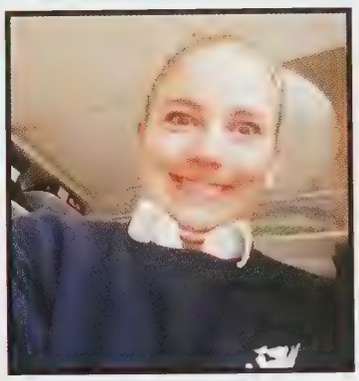

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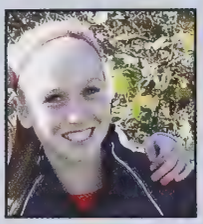

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Pierce Colpman

Bryn Cubberley

Rowan Damant

Corinna Darcie

Maxwell Dickinson

Julian Dosanjh

Edward Down

James Duncan

Kirsten Dupuy

Jordan Egles

Emily Forster-Coull

Chloe Freeman

Sylvie Galloway

Yuqing Gu

Cameron Hahn

Ian Halliwell

Hunter Hernandez-Morris

Andrea Herrmann

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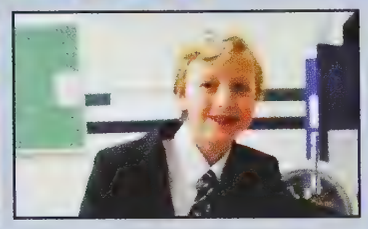

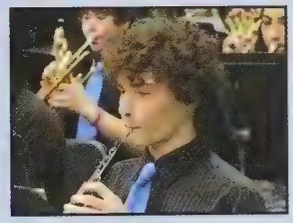

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Jesse O'Neill-Bains

Stuart Purdy

Megan Reist-Millward

Jessie Rost

Carmela Sheppard

William Shorsky

Max Stewart

Matthew Sutherland

Joseph Sutton-Tafe

Dylan Thompson

Danielle Thoms

Brandon Turner

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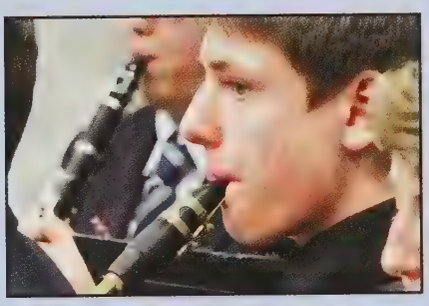
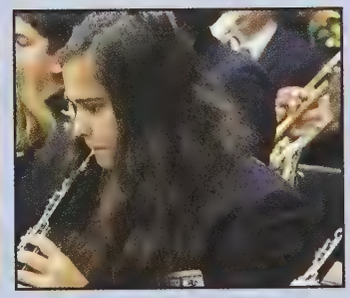
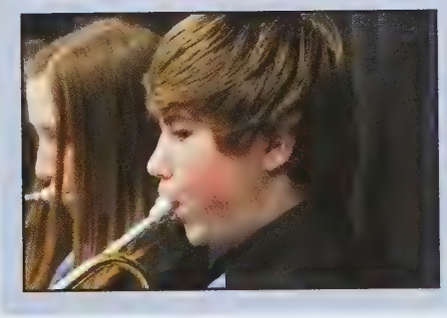

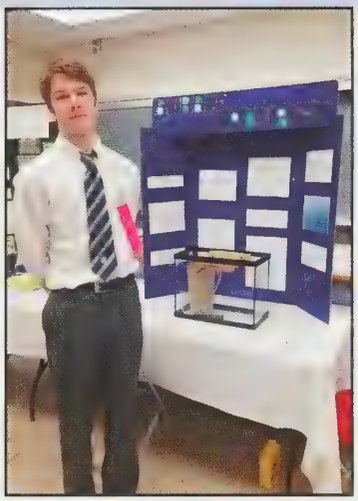

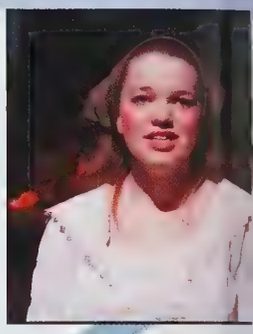

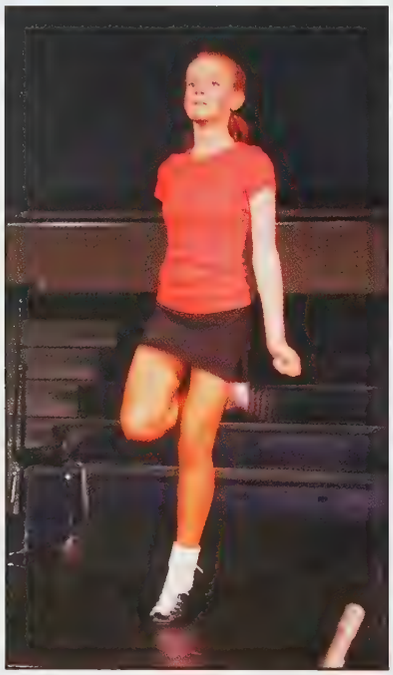

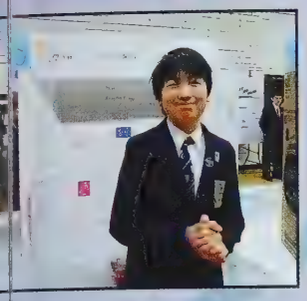

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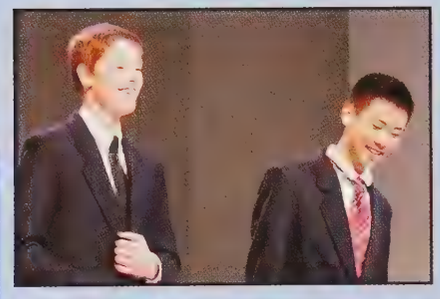
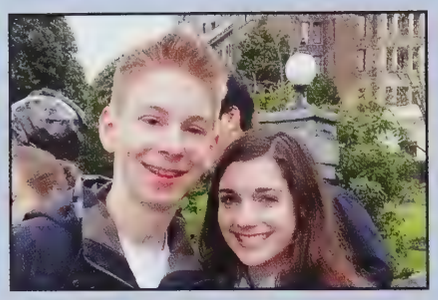
Grade 10

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Avery Dagg

Adele DesBrisay

Carly Egan

Megan Ewing

Chris Ferguson

Chanel Ghesquiere

Adrienne Graham

Rebecca Griffith

Erik Harper

Geoffrey Harper

Michael Higashi

Alexander Hofer

Kiara Hopkins

Louis Huang

Sedona Janzen

Konnor Klashinsky

Lynaea Korol-Filbey

Nathan Kuehne

Olivia Kwasny

Anna Letkeman

Jeremy Liu

Tony Liu

Aiden Longcroft-Harris

Caleigh Macpherson

Will Mai

Madelynn Marchildon

Krislene Mariano

Victoria Martens

Ellie McLeod

Tessa Mitchell

Anders Murray-Hemphill

Keaton Ollech

Tai Orser

Tygre Patchell-Evans

Andre Prescott

Brennig Prevost

Nicholas Roethel

Spencer Ronnenkamp

Trevor Rutherford

Rachel Sawchuk

Jack Schneider

James Shillington

Clare Skillman

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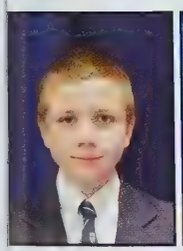
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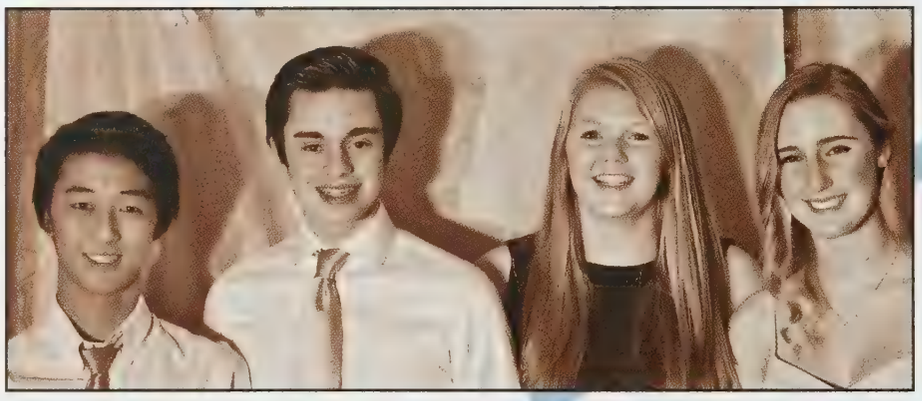

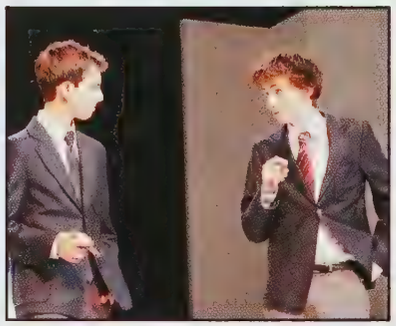

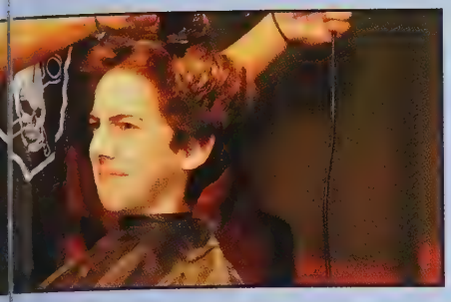
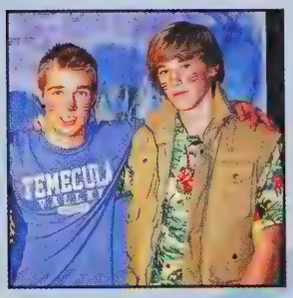
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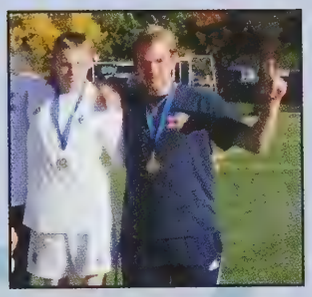

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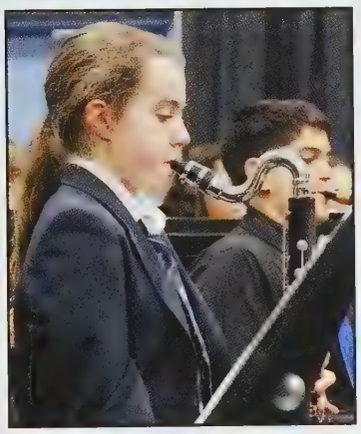

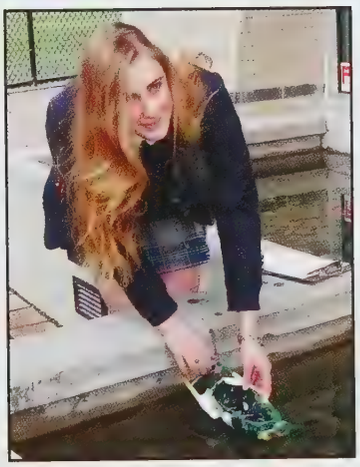

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Haley Dupuy

Stephen Ewald

Madeline Fraumeni

Kadie Freeman

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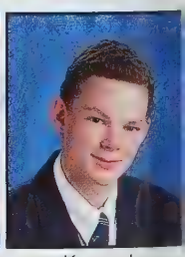
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Alijah Monckton

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James Rathwell

Mariana Sanchez

Akila Sato-Gaudreau

Kianna Scheel

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Wyatt Shorsky

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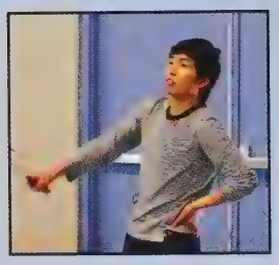
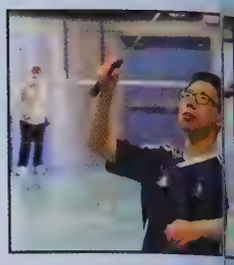

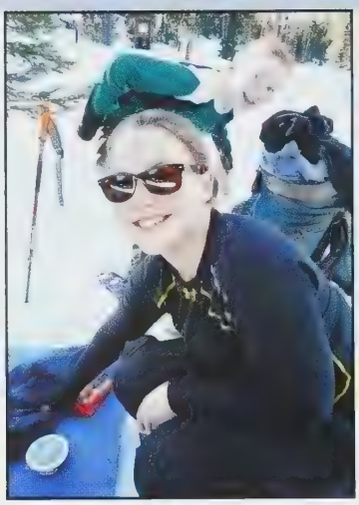

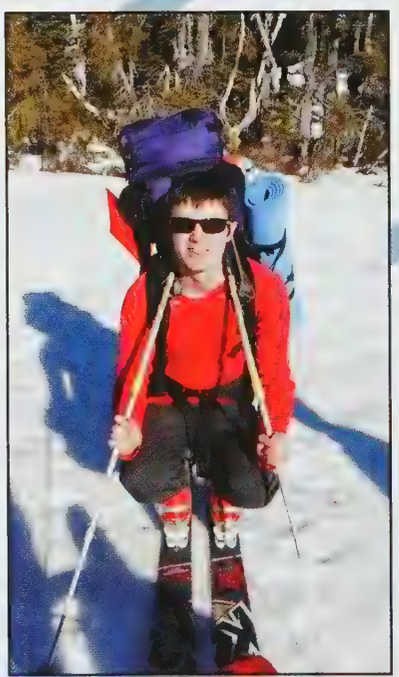

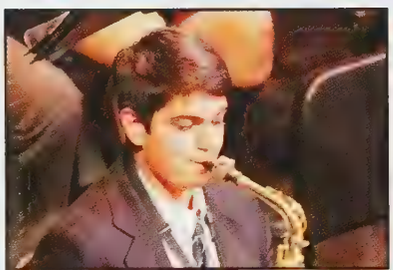

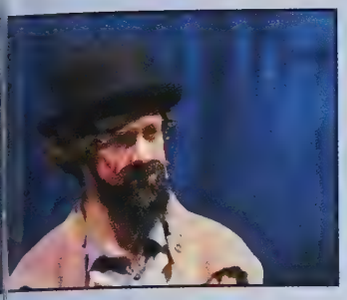

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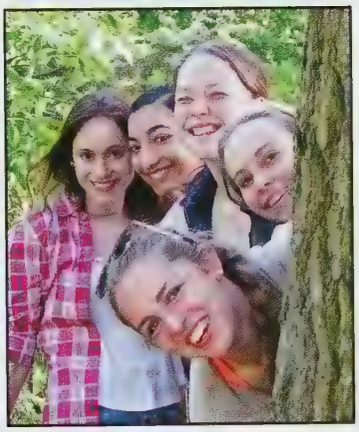
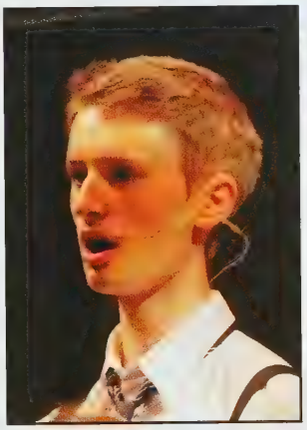



Gr. 1 - 12

Class 2014

Jivan Bains-Wood

A tall ship sailing in a teacup – one of Jivan's art exhibition pieces and a symbol of her imaginative artistry. She also co-designed and made all the costumes for Fiddler and Agamemnon, authentically roughening the cloth with a cheese grater! Our savvy and ambitious Jivan has attended the Parsons School of Design in New York, and, this summer, will study set and costume design at RADA in London before commencing theatre design studies at UVIC.

Gr. 10 - 12

Julianna Bate

It is rumoured that Julianna is a human imposter and is actually a spear carrying elf queen and Jalessi of the known and unknown. She writes novels, teaches herself Japanese, rides horses and slams poetry; with her one-two punch of intellect and creative imagination, Julianna will study both linguistics and ethical hacking at SFU, with the ultimate goal of teaching computers to speak English.

K - 12

Class 2014

Alexandra Bland

Mahatma Gandhi once said "The more efficient a force is, the more subtle it is". We think this quote applies to Alexandra: Flautist in the Senior Concert Band, member of the sailing team, and dedicated academic. Next year, Alexandra has accepted a scholarship to Queen's University, where she will study Sociology and Psychology in the Faculty of Arts and Sciences Honours Programme.

Gr. 9 - 12

Kyra Bohlken-Hern

Despite her jolly shenanigans, our Student Activities Council Prefect, sportswoman and scholar is a woman of substance. When a school inspector walked in unannounced during an examination, Kyra continued her IB oral presentation – eloquently – as if he did not exist. The inspector cited her as "the perfect student to exemplify GNS." Fittingly, perhaps, Kyr aims to enter Social Sciences at the University of Victoria

K - Gr. 4 & 11 - 12

Class 2014

Jason Bradbury

Originally from Australia, then the UK and now Canada, Jason's travels have made him adaptable and wise to the world. He is a powerhouse athlete and mentor of younger players. Jason has earned all-star and MVP honors on many occasions. In the fall, Jason will be suiting up for soccer while taking a degree in esiology at Chowan University in North Carolina on olarship.

Gr. 9 - 12

Class 2014

Gareth Bray-Bancroft

When Gareth arrived in grade 9, he was a bit shy at his new school, but now he is a confident and friendly young man fully involved in school life. Gareth recalls his service trip to Mexico and his participation in the sailing club as highlights of his time here. We expect that the baristas in Kelowna will see a lot of Gareth next year as he begins the co-operative management degree program at UBC Okanagan.

Gr. 9 - 12

Class 2014

Skylar Broeren

Is infamous for naming her fetal pig Lafonda – and then dissecting Lafonda in Bio. 12. Otherwise a gentle soul, Skylar remembers freezing on outdoor ed. trips and baking at 35 degrees on her Round Square exchange to Peru. She likes adventures, whether in sailing – where she may hold the record for ater entries - or Model UN or on the field hockey pitch. Sylar will begin another adventure as a student in esiology at the University of Alberta.

Gr. 5 - 12

Class 2014

Lauren Caters

Affectionately known to her friends as Lops, everything our service prefect Lauren does – and she does a great deal – embodies her own humility and her compassion for others. Lauren approaches every aspect of her life with joy and optimism. She will miss her sister and all of the friends she has made over her years at GNS. Lops has won an enormous scholarship to study science at the University of Victoria.

K - 12

Class 2014

Jamie Charles

Whether in the band, in outdoor expeditions, classes, or in LIFE, Jamie does his best through truth and courage. He has been the heart of his homeform and with his smile and generous nature, he exemplifies the best in us. Jamie's adventurous spirit takes him to South Africa this summer for a Round Square International Service project before he begins his studies at Camosun College.

Gr. 10 - 12

Jenna Ching

You may have the mistaken impression that Jenna is the retiring type. Not so. In fact, she is known for sarcastic one-liners and is relentless in the pursuit of academic excellence. An IB diploma candidate, she has ably balanced her academic pursuits with involvement in the Intercultural Club, the badminton team, and service. Jenna will contin to devote her personal best on scholarship at UBC next ye with the goal of pharmaceutical science.

Gr. 6 - 12

Class 2014

Diana Chkipov

Diana's chums claim that seemingly demure "Lizard" is actually the spiritual love child of John Cleese and Sheldon from the Big Bang Theory; she likes to sing at high volume to her own personal choir. Diana fondly remembers 2:00 pm, Jan. 23, 2014, when Mr. Irvine called her "The Champ" in physics Coolwhip's train of thought is reputedly random, yet she is a gifted scholar who has accepted a scholarship to UVic with an eye to future medical school.

Gr. 3 - 12

Adam Darcie

"Big Darcie" – GNS drummer and Co-captain of the basketball team – won best defender at Provincials this year, with at least 10 blocks, points, and rebounds per game, with a career high of 27 blocks in a single game – NBA professionals only aspire to statistics like that. Adam has fond memories of frolicking on 'The Beach', and this bright and hard-working young man will frolic next year in the sciences department at UBC.

Gr. 1 - 12

Class 2014

Oliver Dason

Oliver has just completed his Duke of Edinburgh Gold Award, and his record in service is equally remarkable: In a film about Ukulapha, the African school that Oliver's self-generated charity supports – the children screamed "OLEVER" again and again. We also know OLEVER as a gifted musician who took some ss this year with terrific solos on the clarinet and aophone. Next year, The Swag King and founding member illa Hip Hop intends to study science at a location still to etermined.

Gr. 7 - 12

Class 2014

Carmen Dixon

Carmen is the first person Jivan would call in a disaster because she is very responsible but would also know how to make a little joke to ease the tension. She could also tackle potential assailants with her soccer cleats. Unique, generous, and hard-working, Carmen will attend Camosun to study criminal justice in hopes of being hired as Johnny Depp's private body guard.

Gr. 1 - 10 & 12

Class 2014

Callum Fehr

Callum remembers growing up on The Beach – 4 square and foxes and hounds and all things salty. Most recently, Callum's highlight is winning the soccer provincials and all the time spent with the team. He will miss the friendly tight knit community that is GNS, and he wishes to thank his teachers for their commitment oiis success. This determined and thoughtful young etleman has accepted a scholarship offer to study rineering at UVIC.

Gr. 11 - 12

Class 2014

Anca Fetcas

Exuberant and zesty Anca is known for her collection of rare teas and her ability to alter her biological immunity so as to fall ill during Biology tests. When she arrived at our school in grade 11, IB diploma candidate Anca was determined to seek leadership roles: this year she is Round Square Prefect and won best delegate at model U.N. due to her passionate commitment. Anca will study Dental Hygiene at Camosun College and anticipates working with a truly captive audience!

Gr. 5 - 12

Class 2014

Katherine Filmer

For her personal project, Katherine built a canoe and then circumnavigated the globe – or at least Jimmy Chicken Island. She has a spectacular smile and a peaceful soul, so when she knocked people over on the soccer field – as she did frequently – she felt great remorse and said sorry 42 times. Katherine will further the role of women in mathematics as she accepts a scholarship at UVic in the Faculty of Engineering.

Gr. 2 - 12

Rhys Fletcher-Berna

Rhys has been a dynamic athletic presence at Glenlyon for the past decade, bringing leadership, skill and dedication to everything he does. A charismatic and thoughtful student-athlete, Rhys uses his open-mindedness to try new activities and take advantage of opportunities such as various paddling trips. Rhys is off to Camosun nex year to study biology.

K - 12

Class 2014

Joe Gale

Joey G Is famous for his hockey tattoo and his near pro hockey player status. A sweet and humorous fellow, but don't get in his way on the ice. He is the kind of Lifer, Scott gym swisher, soccer and crunch bunch player who looks at an empty dance floor and says GNS! Let's dance! Joe is off to Camosun to commence his study in engineering, but is sad to leave ACT behind.

Gr. 11 - 12

Faseeha Gondal

An original. Funny. Candid. Dramatic. IB diploma candidate and International Prefect Faseeha credits her two years at GNS with making her a more relaxed person, which we find hard to credit as she is still ferociously self-disciplined and determined! Whatever the price, Faseeha finds the confidence to do what feels right in her heart, and next ye her heart takes her to the University College in Dublin to study medicine.

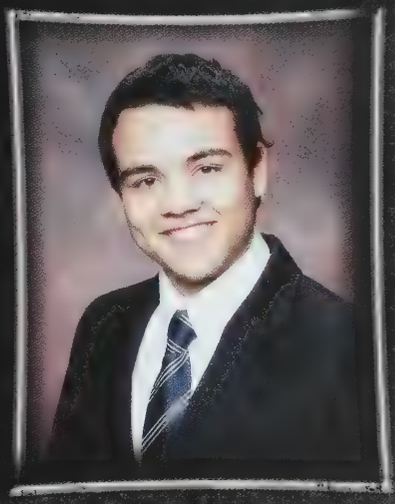
Gr. 9 - 12

Class 2014

Jack Gorham

Jack, in the words of a friend, is a 'boss' (pronounced Baoss). If you were shipwrecked on a desert island and you had to choose a single companion, Hockey Player Jack would do very well. Kind, hard-working, an observer of human nature, a dignified sense of himself rare in one so young, and occasionally, very fnny. Next year Jack will be at UVic studying social siences or business.

Gr. 11 - 12



Class 2014

Patrick Granegger

Patrick loves to relax with his guitar, and flirt – quite successfully – with his charming accent. Don't let this persona fool you, however – our accomplished diploma candidate is a modest fellow – did you know he won the teenage class open water world swimming race at age 12, completed 47 advanced open water dives, worked in a Dubai oil field and can yodel? Patrick wrote his extended IB essay about environmental threats to arctic mammals, so it is fitting he will undertake environmental studies on scholarship at Dalhousie.

K - 12

Class 2014

Jessica Grundmann

The last of the fabled Grundmann Family ... known as Jiggs, Subby or Grundy. This good humoured and athletically talented young woman is a GNS lifer. As our female games captain, Jessica has been a remarkable role model in that she loves being an athlete but she also knows the value of giving ack to sport by mentoring younger players. A serious cademic student, Jessica has accepted a scholarship offer study sciences at UVic.

Gr. 10 - 12

Class 2014

Amy Han

Amy Han has one of those deadpan faces and voices, and gives little away, but those who know her well find her very witty. They also know her capacity for close relationships, her dedication to volunteer work with elderly patients, and her enjoyment of model U.N. Accepted at many prestigious universities on the basis of spectacular predicted IB diploma results, Amy will take herself and her cello to New York University for mathematics and financial risk management.

Gr. 7 - 12

Olivia Hannigan

On her admissions application, Olivia asked "Does Queen Elizabeth eat pizza, and, if so, what kind?" Despite – or perhaps because of her quirky sense of humour, we let in this scholar and actress. Mr. Collett says "She brings a genuine naturalism and beauty to the stage, as well as a high level of care and concern for her fellow actors. " Olivia will pursue a 'gap' year in Thailand as she mulls over various university scholarship offers.

Gr. 8 - 12

Andrew Hindi

At a recent soccer dinner, Olympian Hindi dressed up in his purple suit and best silk tie, and represented himself to the waiter as soccer coach Mac Cole's dad – so Mac sent him the bill at the end of the meal. Andrew has given us many such splendid moments over the years, but, first and foremost, he is a diligent diploma student – and gifted mathematician – who has chosen UBC – amongst many scholarship offers – for his pre-med studies.

Gr. 8 - 12

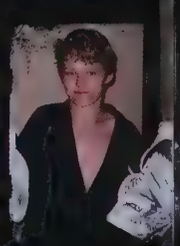
Mathew Hindi

Forever immortalized in GNS history as the gold medal champion of the Hindi Olympics, Mathew, and his fancy shades, is that rare student crazy enough to take an IB Diploma PLUS an extra IB Science class. In fact, Mathew describes himself as: I. AM. IB. Energetic, dramatic, determined – brilliant mathematician Matty Dog will commence pre-med studies at McGill University.

Gr. 4 - 12

Alasdair Hinton

Homeform had an official day of mourning to lament the loss of Alasdair. A spectacular head boy, dedicated and gifted scholar, basketball starter, the boy you want your kid to marry ... and one of the few students so organized he felt an exhilarating sense of control over the diploma. We expect special delivery shortbread from the U.K. where Alasdair wi study engineering next year.



K - 12

Zoe Hopkins

Class 2014

Zoe has joie de vivre. She laughs for the joy of it, and we often laugh with her. Lifer, athlete, scholar, and Duke of Edinburgh gold medal winner. All of these describe Zoe Hopkins, but the whole is more. For Zoe, GNS will be remembered for the camaraderie. We will remember a leader, on the field and off, a fine student, a friend. UVic is lucky that Zoe has accepted a scholarship into their Sciences program.

Gr. 5 - 12

Maggie Hospers

Class 2014

Maggie is enigmatic, thoughtful, complex, and subtle. The kind of person, Jivan says, you would want to plan a bank heist, yet, paradoxically, the person who gives countless volunteer hours to animals, an inspired creative writer and a visual artist – co-costume designer for our theatrical productions. Next year Maggie will work in an English college for disabled teenagers before she returns to Capilano College for visual art and creative writing.

Gr. 5 - 12

Molly Hospers

Class 2014

Molly talks. A lot. And this is a good thing, because this loquacious and friendly student is full of astute observations, quirky and interesting ideas, and genuine care for her fellow beings on this earth – human and animal alike. Aside from her volunteer work on behalf of animals, Molly has performed onstage in slam and backstage on the tech team. Next year, Molly will take her fabulous presence to New Brunswick, to study Liberal Arts at Mt. Allison.

Gr. 4 - 12

Gwen James

Class 2014

Her peers say they enjoy King James' company because she is witty, quirky ... and nice. A winning trio! She remembers – fondly – finding an octopus on the beach in Grade Five, the Skaha climbing trip, pretending she knows how to play trumpet, and Mr. Irvine's expanding beard. Gwen is self-deprecating about the trumpet, because her last post at Remembrance Day sent thrills down our collective spine. Strong academic, Gwen has accepted a scholarship to study engineering at Queens.

K - 12

Rachael Keighan

Unapologetic and independent, our Environment & Adventure prefect, Green team leader and diploma candidate Rachael smiles as if she knows the secret of the universe – and she does. She defines 'cool', says her peers. Rachel has talent and interest in a wide range of subjects and has been offered many hefty scholarships, but has chosen the Honours Biomedical Sciences program at The University of Guelph next year.

Gr. 2 - 12

Jyotish Khanna

Jyotish is a charming and articulate fellow who is never happier than leaping for a soccer ball and persuasive enough to win top speaker at the National Debate Seminar. Jyotish would like to thank his teachers, his coaches and his parents for putting up with his antics. Next year IB diploma candidate Jyotish has chosen to accept a scholarship at UVic to play soccer for the Vikes – and attend classes in the faculty of Social Sciences.

Gr. 8 - 12

Adam Kwasny

Adam is an expert on geckoes, a world famous rap artist, and a charming gentleman whose international life experiences have given him a more mature perspective on life and a rich, independent spirit. Our male games captain is also an athlete who has won many honours including Top City Basketball Scorer–average 23 points per game - and diligent academic with several scholarship offers. Adam has chosen to study engineering at UBC next year.

Gr. 7 - 12

Joon Ho Lee

You may remember Joon Ho for playing the lion on Shakespeare Day (can you roar for us Joon Ho?) He is a relaxed fellow whose company we enjoy. Joon Ho is going East to study business, and has received many acceptances, and probably will chose The University of Toronto. Mr. Brown says that if all else fails Joon Ho could make it as a stand-up comic.

Gr. 7 - 12

Class 2014

Antonio Li

TD is another funny and engaging lad whose quick wit has enlivened many a class at GNS. He came to us years ago and fits in perfectly with his enthusiastic approach to life. He credits the friends that he made and the cafeteria cookies for his successes at GNS, and remembers the summer of Grade 8. Ah, sweet memories! Already a badminton champion, next year Antonio will be training in hopes of eventually competing in the 2020 Olympics in Japan.

Gr. 9 - 12

Class 2014

Bryn Longcroft-Harris

Even Bryn's younger brother can only say nice things about his sister. She is the kind of person who learnt Swahili for her personal project in preparation for a Round Square International Conference in Kenya. An IB diploma candidate, flautist, constant volunteer at the cancer clinic, competitive swimmer & coach, 'Max' has earned the right to boast, but she is a modest soul. Despite enormous scholarship offers from universities across Canada, Bryn will begin medical studies next year at St Andrews in Scotland.

Gr. 8 - 12

Class 2014

Kirk Lumley

Kirk Lumley is known for wearing a backpack, shades, a snapback hat and 3 hoodies all at the same time - just like Chief Kief! Kirk is an affable and carefree gent who enjoys a good chuckle. Beneath his hard shell is a healthy dose of sensitivity. Kirk has been a talented member of GNS Soccer and will miss sunny days on the turf. He looks forward to chemistry at UVic or Camosun and possibly going into pharmacy.

Gr. 9 - 12

Class 2014

Ashleigh Martens

Ashleigh Martens is an egalitarian soul and all round kind person. When Ash Dawg decides to do something, she throws her whole heart and soul into it – the IB Diploma programme and every song that she has composed and every part she has played & sung at GNS. Milliken University in Illinois is very lucky to have enticed her with a scholarship to their BFA acting program; Ashleigh's goal is to sing on Broadway.

Gr. 6 - 12

Caitlin Maxwell

Caitlin is an original who thinks outside the box -- and she flies too – high above the stage in a flying contraption as the Ghost in Fiddler on the Roof. Down on this earth, her friends say Caitlin is a loyal and compassionate person who loves the stage first and girls' rugby– Giant Slayer Caitlin is intense – second. Next year, Caitlin will commence the elite Foundation Year Program at King's College in Halifax, where she will explore philosophy, literature and art.

Gr. 7 - 10 & 12

Jake McCallum

Jake is an exceptional and serious student excelling across all subject areas. He is also a fine athlete who this year has focused on rowing, with many accolades to his name. Jake has enjoyed forging lasting friendships and will miss the support of his teachers and classmates next year. Having accepted a full scholarship to UVic in September, Jake embarks on his long term goal of medicine.

K - 12

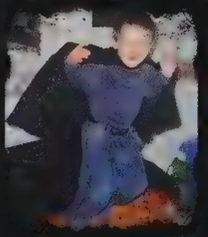
Graham Morrison

Grizz Graham had Eileen on speed dial for those days he was running a little late. This lifer is a talented hockey player & baritone horn player, co-president of Concert and Jazz Bands, and a happy soul. A particularly happy memory for Graham was frying up and then eating 15 pounds of bacon in Chemistry class. G Money has secured a summer Marketing internship with a local technology firm in advance of a marketing degree at UVic.

Gr. 7 - 12

Joseph Naaykens

One of his classmates said that Friendly Joe is "a quiet man" and then he speaks and everyone is struck dumb by his Yoda-like brilliance and wit. Solid. Gentle. Whether in IT, jazz band or the green team, Uncle Naaykens surprises. Next year, Joe has accepted a scholarship to study biology at UVic and we hope he will return to partake in homeform celebrations.



Gr. 6 - 12

Class 2014

Alexander Puetter

Alex is a stylish, mellow fellow in a Hugo Boss jacket – laid-back, yet determined – who else would carry a couch on his back from Oak Bay Avenue just to be more comfortably seated in writing class? When asked how he would describe himself, Alexander responded: 'legendary, awesome, extraordinary' and nally 'humble'. His friends will miss his sense of humour nd style and articulate debater voice. Alexander will take a ap year at Camosun College to rewrite the Bro Code...

Gr. 7 - 12

Class 2014

Cedar Rain

Cedar Rain... Isn't that a gorgeous name? Unique ... like Cedar, who chose her own last name and has shown a passion for originality and creativity throughout her time at GNS. Whether it be Senior Choir, Vocal Jazz, Visual Arts, or the Theatre Tech Team, Cedar has lived her belief in the arts at GNS. Next year she will study Political Science at The University of Victoria in the hopes of creating a government that values the arts.

K - 12

Class 2014

Fraser Rinald

A Lifer and our Senior Arts Prefect who likes to wear lensless glasses on special occasions. Witty and irreverent...but really, as Hunter puts it, "Fraser's sense of humour defies description." Soccer player, horn player and actor, Fraser has charmed us time and again on stage in such roles as the swashbuckling and frenzied lover in he Gamester. Next year our hard working scholar enters he Gustavson School of Business at UVic on scholarship - ve hope they are ready.

Gr. 9 - 12

Class 2014

Grace Ruthven

True to her name, this gentle and intelligent student always carries herself with grace – except on the rugby field where she rips, grips and pushes her way through each play. She is a gifted artist – witty and original – who challenges herself to push boundaries –a complex installation piece, for example, involved an elaborate dining table with Alphabits cereal spelling out "do not play with your food." Grace will enter the humanities program at UVic and will succeed wherever she goes because of her extraordinary people skills.

Gr. 11 - 12

Natalie Salomon

Our headgirl. Extroverted. Stubborn. Accomplished. World finalist public speaker who placed first in dramatic monologue. When she arrived only 2 years ago, Natalie did not self promote, so we did not know she had placed 4th in France in figure skating and had already composed & published her own music. Natalie is unafraid to try new things; next year she has accepted an enormous scholarship to Berkley's School of Music in Boston, where she will study music and musical production.

Gr. 7 - 12

Christina Sharp

Always bubbly – like expensive champagne, Christina came to GNS in Grade 7. Mr. Jackson says she is a fierce defender for the field hockey team. Some of her favourite memories include sailing, Outdoor Ed trips, lazy studies on the turf, her exchange to Salem, Germany, service trips to Mexico, concert band and ethical pickles. Next year Christina will be attending UBC and studying Sciences.

Gr. 9 - 12

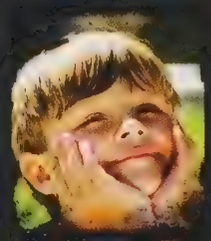
Liam Shillington

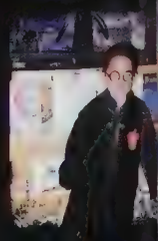
Prince Charming Liam – calm and friendly and responsible – has always assumed that brave adventures lie before him, and his quest is to tackle them. As friend, athlete and role model, he will be missed. Next year, Liam continues his charm and intelligence offensive as a scholarship student in the Faculty of Engineering at Queen's. He hopes to make a future contribution to saving our environment.

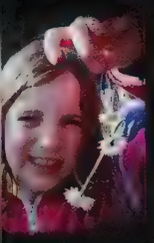
K - 12

Robbie Slegg

This GNS lifer has fond memories of brick wars and crab hunting at The Beach. Known at the senior school for his laid-back attitude and kind nature, Robbie's highlights here include basketball, chillin' on the turf and shaving his head for the BC Cancer Foundation. Fall will find Robbie studying business at Camosun College, with the aim of starting his own business.







Gr. 9 - 12

Class 2014

Skye Spaulding

Skye is an intelligent and original student, unafraid to take the path least trodden. Did you know she studies ancient maps and is teaching herself Arabic? Her unique point of view is often showcased in her creative cookery and her Slam Poetry, a pursuit she plans to continue after graduation. Next year, Skye plans to study computer science at Camosun College in preparation for work in the video game industry.

Gr. 6 - 12

Class 2014

Laura Strong

Laura has been an independent and diligent student at GNS for the past 7 years and counts the Italy trip as one of her fondest memories. As the stern mama and matron saint of her homeform, Laura's straight-forward, no nonsense attitude is useful in approaching life's challenges. Laura has received several university scholarship offers, and will study English at UVic this fall.

K - 3 & Gr. 9 - 12

Class 2014

Allie Szwender

The first to volunteer! As Jessica says, "Allie is chill"; a sunny and modest all rounder who has been quick to experience "the marrow of life", in the words of Thorau – Henry David, that is, not Harvey – whether it be on sports teams, school trips to Spain and Germany, or service projects in Mexico. Allie hopes to play varsity soccer when she attends Dalhousie University for its outdoor recreation program.

K - 12

Class 2014

Annabel Thornton

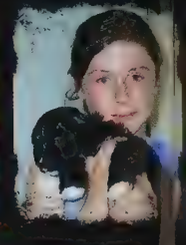
Annabel is the epitome of positivity and energy. Whether in sports, debate, round square, or the SAC, Annabel was not just a player or a member, but an instigator and leader, passionate about sports, travel, culture and volunteerism. She will remember her service trips to Kenya and Mexico and soccer trips to Germany and Holland. Next year, our ferociously intelligent Annabel has accepted a scholarship offer – amongst many – to undertake history and economics at Queens University.

K - 12

Class 2014

Brooke Turner

Brooke proves that good things come in small packages. Warm, modest, determined. A Tae Kwando expert, academic and singer with a voice that enchants. Brooke has been with us since kindergarten, and GNS has been like a second home to her. She will remember the fun she had on school trips to Hawaii and Italy. We will miss our rising star and wish Brooke good fortune as she heads to Vancouver or Los Angeles to advance her career as singer / songwriter.



Gr. 9 - 12

Class 2014

Lisa Utley

Lisa's gracious & quiet demeanour hides her determination to gain access to experiences beyond the norm. For example, she sought out famous journalist Sala Choudhury to interview him about Pakistani politics, organized her own Japanese exchange and was their first exchange student ever to undertake the challenging 'kangeiko' martial arts training. With her sky-high grades, double Dogwood Diploma in English and French, IB Diploma and an enormous scholarship, our steel magnolia flies off to Hong Kong University to study journalism.

Gr. 10 - 12

Class 2014

Bolun Wang

Bolun is known for his exquisite manners. His peers agreed he is the 'strong and silent' type who will toss in a witty self-deprecating aside when you least expect it, such as "the biggest contribution I made to the rowing club was not showing up for the final game – they won. ". Over the last 3 years, Boluuuuuun has also tried his hand at climbing and has been a member of the Intercultural club. Next year, Bolun will be staying close in the Engineering Dept. at UVic.

K - 12

Class 2014

Hunter Watson

Hunter is amazing - a democratic and friendly individual who treats everyone the same way and avoids cliques. Confident and happy doghog and world famous DJ Hunter loves to torment the Hindi twins, sing, play soccer as elegantly as Rivelino, beat box, and tap dance his way into our hearts and hopefully hearts at UVic next year. Hunter is a talented and diligent academic student who ha won a scholarship but is as yet undecided on his field of study –an indication of his multiple talents.

K - 12

Class 2014

Wesley Whyte

We will miss Wesley's droll observations about LIFE. He is an independent fellow who walks to the beat of his own drummer. Relaxed – as his peers describe him. Although Wesley tries to hide his light under a barrel, he is a bright student with a knack for seeing between the lines. Next year, Wesley will study general sciences on scholarship at UVic, but he says that in 20 years, he will be living a life of danger and romance.

Gr. 9 - 12

Class 2014

Jason Xu

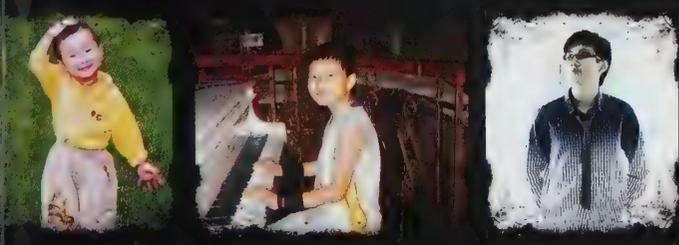
Jason Xu is afraid of heights, but he climbs. We think this says it all. A keen musician and tech team expert. Seemingly reserved, but his friends say he is "jazzy" and his teachers say he is a resolute and bold thinker who champions unorthodox ideas and approaches to problem solving. Next year, IB diploma candidate Jason travels on scholarship to University of Waterloo, where we know this math & programming genius will impress.

Gr. 10 - 12

Class 2014

Trey Zhu

King –Zoo is an enthusiast... in life, The International Club, on his drum set and on the court where Mr Thorau observes that this most silky shooting senior would sacrifice his body for the team good. A generous and gregarious figure, Trey Zhu has been a helpful mentor to international students and homeform students alike. Trey is excited to have been accepted to the business faculty at UVic.



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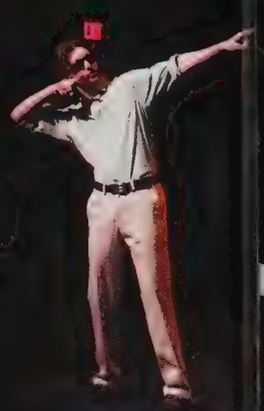

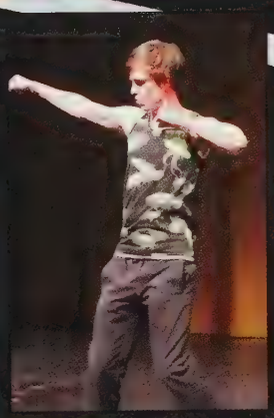

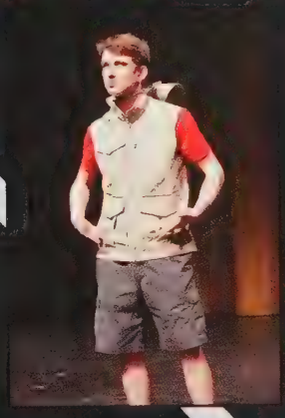

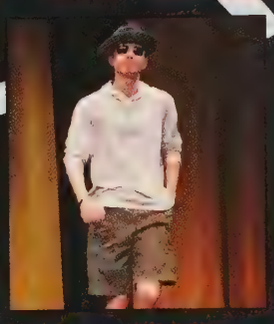

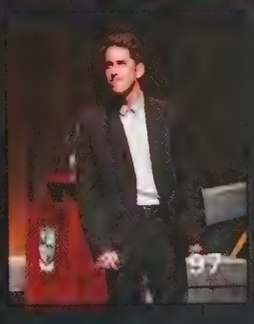

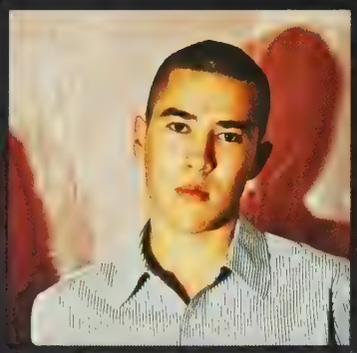

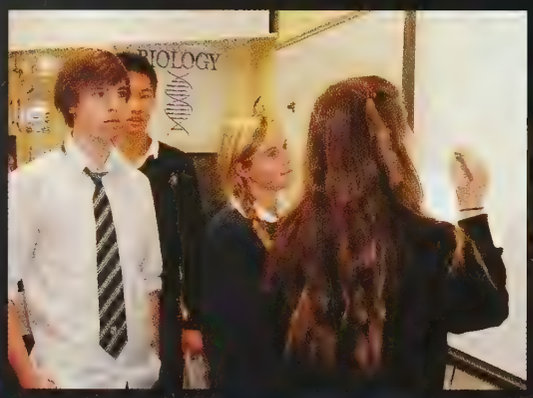
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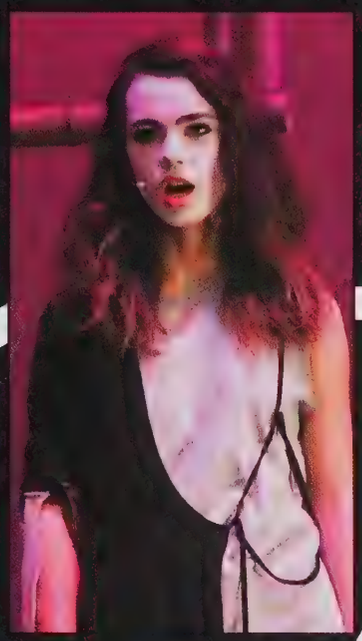

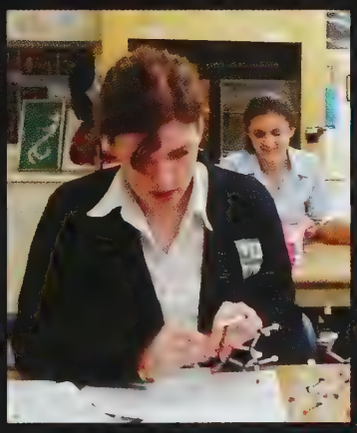

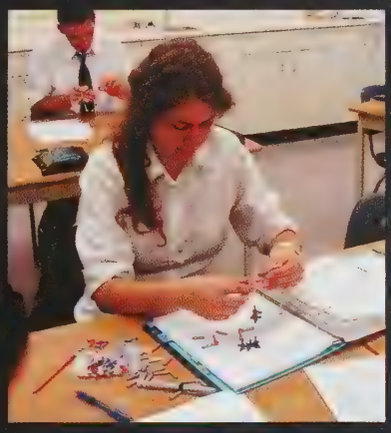

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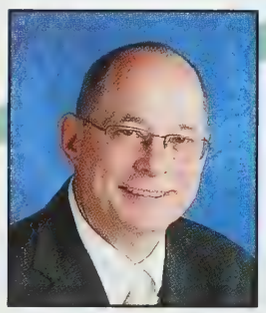

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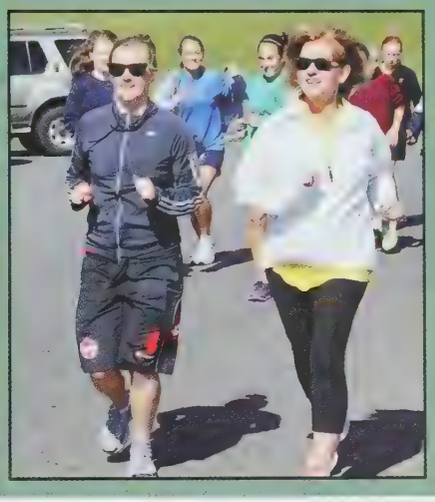

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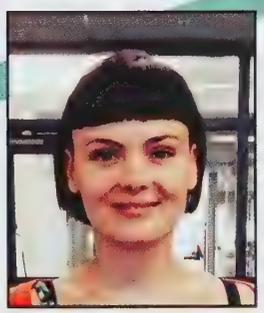
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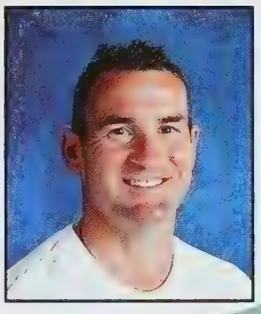
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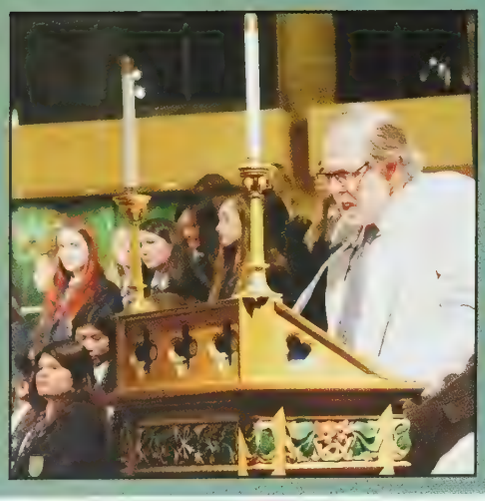

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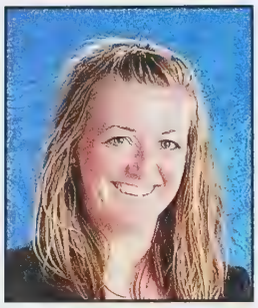
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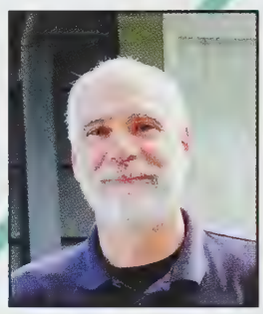
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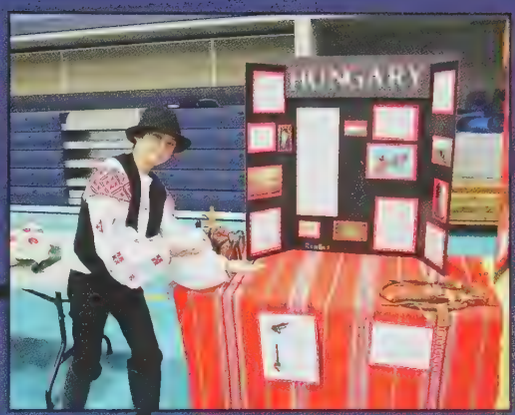

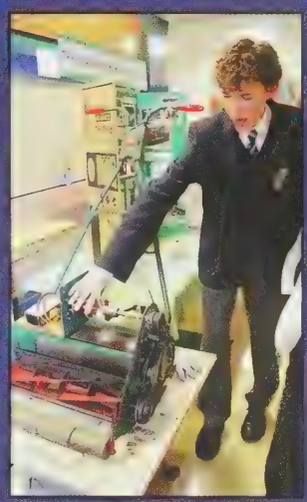

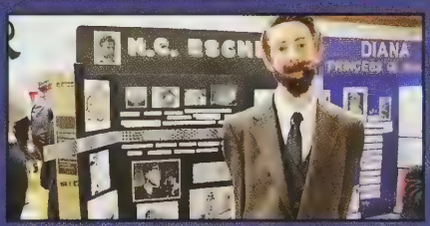

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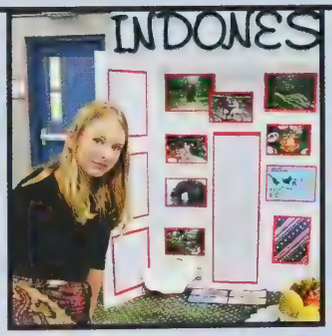
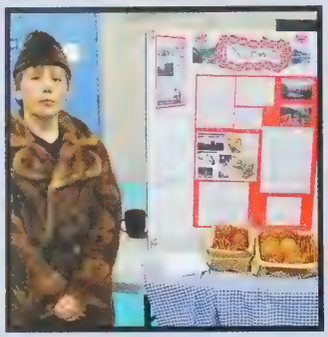




Grade 6 Culturefest

Did You Know...

There are more than 1500 lakes in **Switzerland** containing around 6% of Europe's fresh water stocks.

Greece is a popular tourist destination and home to over a dozen World Heritage Sites.

In **Iceland** peoples last name is derived from their father's first name. And the telephone book lists everyones number by their first name!

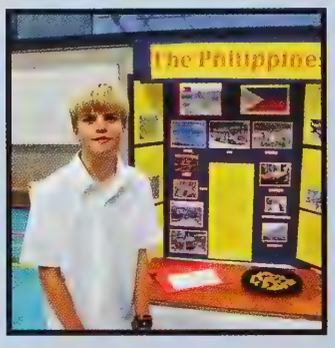
Mexico is the 11th most populated country in the world with around 117 million people and it is the 14th largest country by land area.

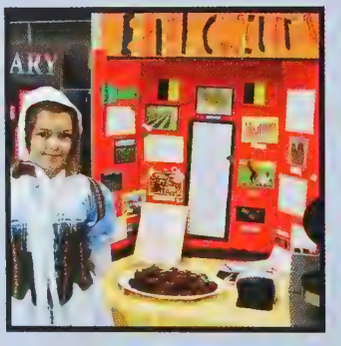
The official language spoken in **Austria** is German.

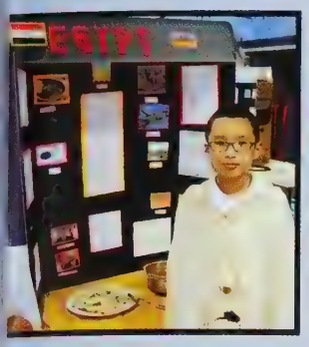
The people of **Venezuela** are mostly Roman Catholics with nearly 92% of the population following this religion. Religion is very important to the Venezuelan people.

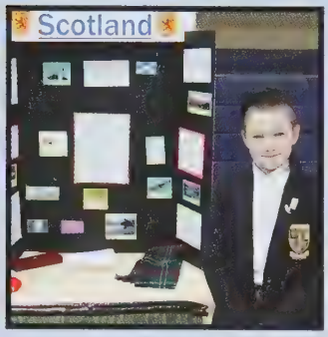
There are only two seasons in the **Philippines**. A warm wet season and cool dry season. The dry season lasts from October to June, and wet season is for the remainder of the year.

The **Yukon** is home to Canada's highest mountain: Mount Logan, at 19,551 feet.







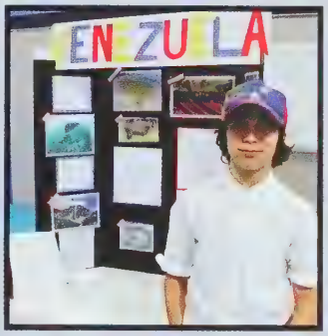


There are over 92 million people living in Vietnam. The food is a mix of Chinese and Thai styles and is very healthy for you. Soccer is the most popular sport but they also play table tennis, real tennis, volleyball, badminton, and martial arts.

-Ethan Dickenson

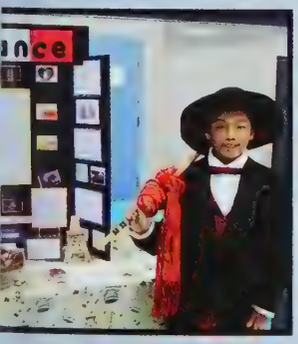
Brazil is the largest country in South America. Football (soccer) is the most popular sport in Brazil with the national team among the best in the world, winning the World Cup a record 5 times.

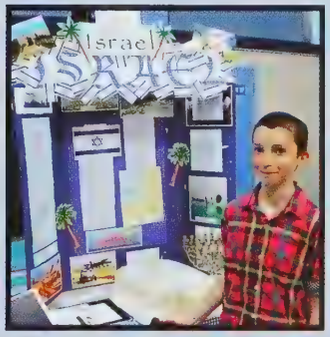
-Megan Vroom

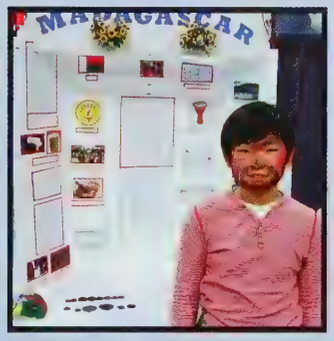


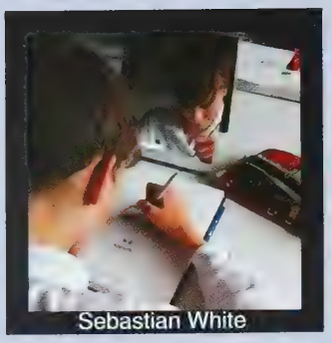
Spanish is the official language of Argentina but there are many other languages spoken throughout the country and the currency of Argentina is called the Peso.

-John Windle





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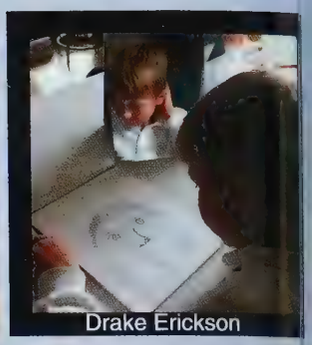
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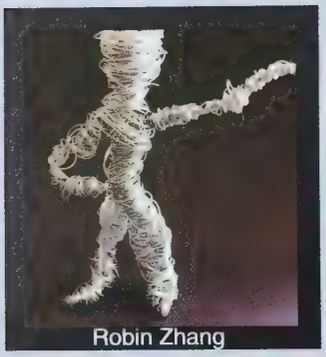
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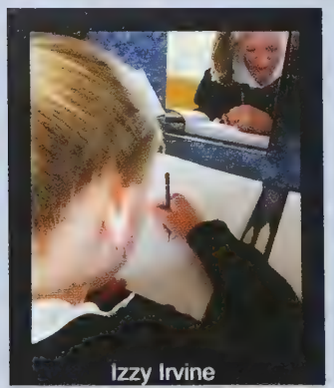
Grade 6 Collaboration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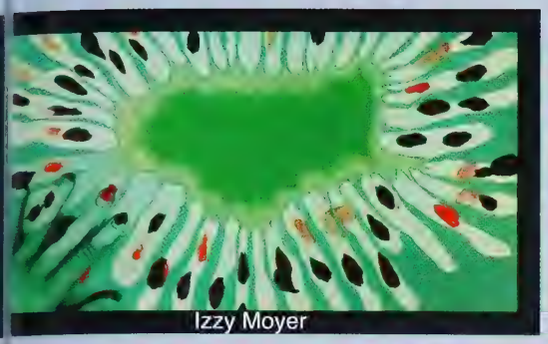
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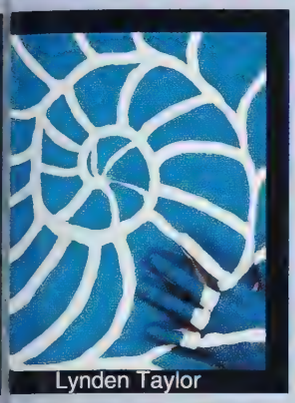
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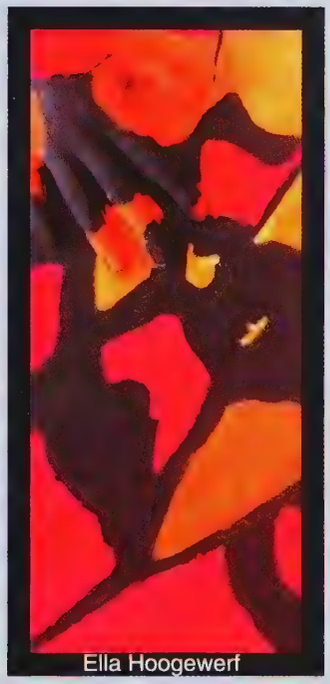
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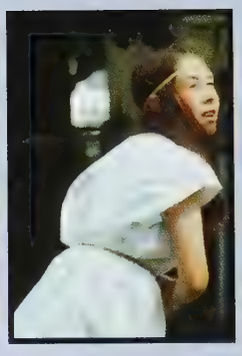
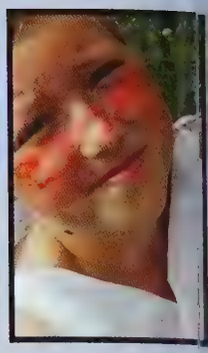
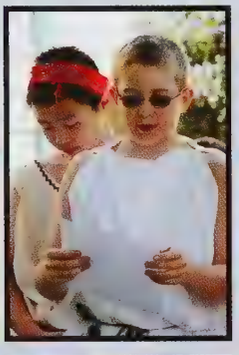
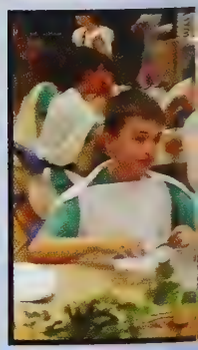
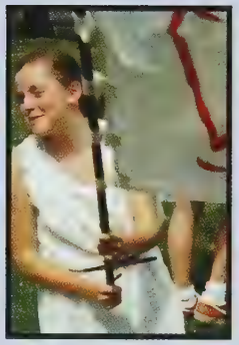



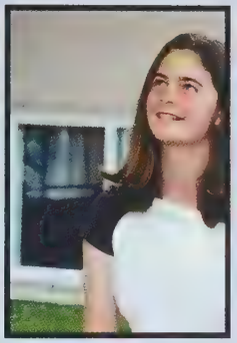
Grade 7 Greek Day

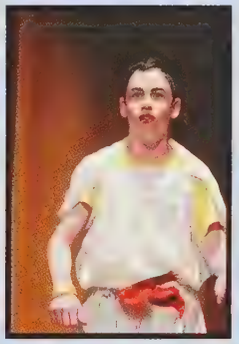
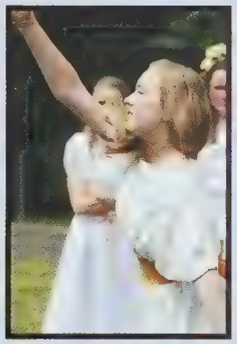
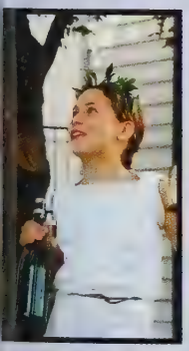
"Weeks of learning about Greece eventually lead to reliving the early Olympics. There were challenges of the mind, athletic competitions, offerings, and a Greek feast. Overall, the best part of the day would have to be watching my peers laughing, enjoying themselves, and running around in togas- it's harder than it sounds!"
- Izzy M.

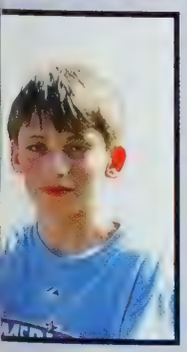


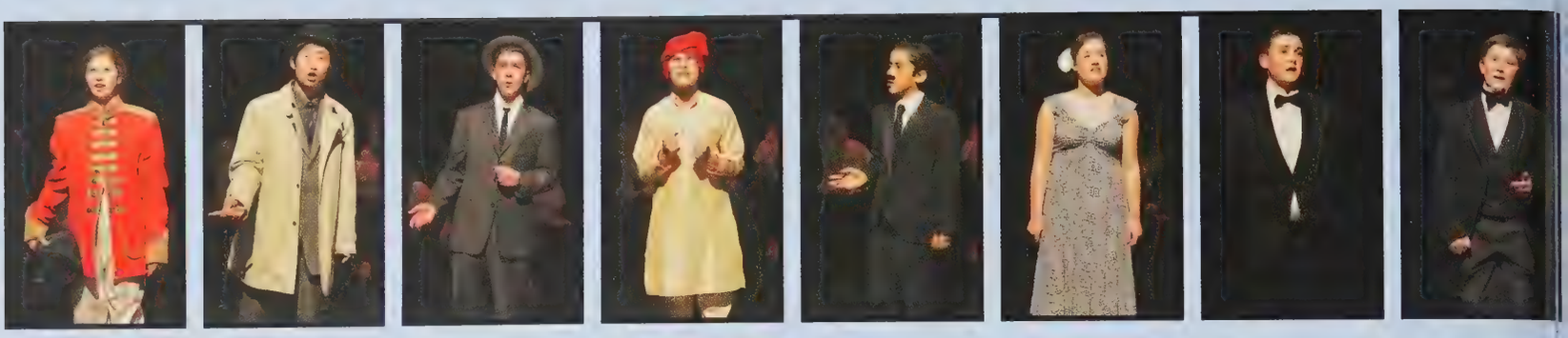


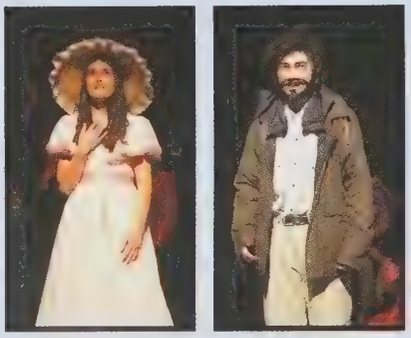


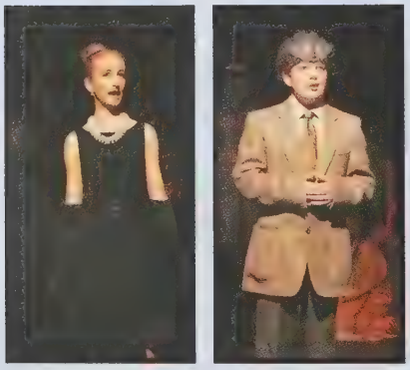


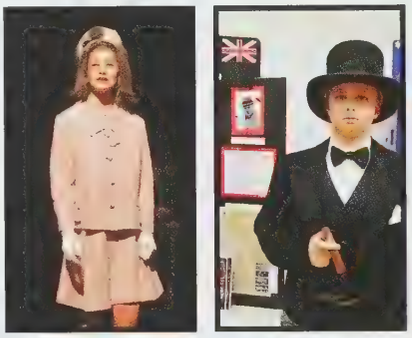








Grade Eight Gallery of Fame



Sebastian Wickie – Walt Disney
Khalil Tuff – Mahatma Gandhi
Nikolas Crabtree – Enrico Fermi
Shota Yamamoto – Al Capone
Caitlin Forster-Coull – Deborah Sampson Garnett
Runze Wang – Galileo Galilei
Sam Crocker – René Descartes
Daniel Yvorchuk – Sir Arthur Conan Doyle
Dylan Samphire – Abraham Lincoln
Lyndon Arfield – Bruce Lee
Jasmyne Storm – Felix Yusupov
Lucas Darke – John Fitzgerald Kennedy
Hannah Salomon – Coco Chanel
Stella McCaig – Frida Kahlo
Grace Martin – Marilyn Monroe
Jenna Miller – Lucille Ball
Andrea DeMeo – Mary Pickford
Renee Rathwell – Audrey Hepburn
Chelsea Roberts – Katharine Hepburn
Joel Lioudiakis – Tim Horton
Brian Lee – Franz Liszt
Marissa Young – Eva Peron
Andrea Egan – Sonja Henie
Jane Glowicki – Jacqueline Kennedy Onassis
Desi Leal – Florence Griffith Joyner
Isobel Sweeney – Amelia Earhart
Lucas Hoelscher – Jackie Robinson

Hamish Vaughan-Wimmer – Louis Riel
Charlotte Germain – Joan of Arc
Jack Prosalendis – Maurice Richard
Heather Ellard-Webster – Cleopatra
Kate Addison – Virginia Hall
Anna Ciceri – Margaret Ann Bulkley
Madeline Berry – Eleanor Roosevelt
Tori Windle – Billie Holiday
Michael Norris – Nikola Tesla
Drew Jackson – Alfred Hitchcock
Ben Djukastein – Thomas Edison
Millar Smith – Alexander Graham Bell
Kris Neilson – Sir Winston Churchill
Robyn MacMillan – Bonnie Parker
Angus Silver – Stanley Kubrick
Thomas Allan – Albert Einstein
Alan Chen – Frederic Chopin
Patrick Wieczorek – Orville Wright
Bronte Denford – Charlotte Bronte
Cassie Stead – Anne Frank
Camden Leith – M.C. Escher
Marissa Smithson – Ziryab
Niki Marriott – Beryl Markham
Angus Fraser-Brown – Archimedes
Leo Livora – Karl Benz
Bjorn Svorkdal – Roald Amundsen
Chloe Korol-Filbey – Boudicca
Carrie Van Cleave – Pocahontas
Bridgette Norwood – Julia Child
Natasha Lloyd-Kruger – Princess Diana
Anna Harama-Bedard – Grace Kelly
Takahiro Tanaka – Thomas Jefferson

Grade Eight Art

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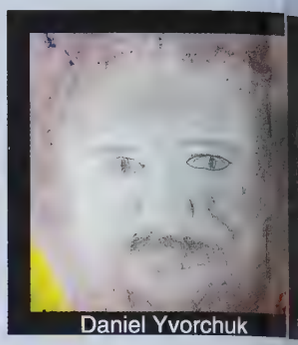
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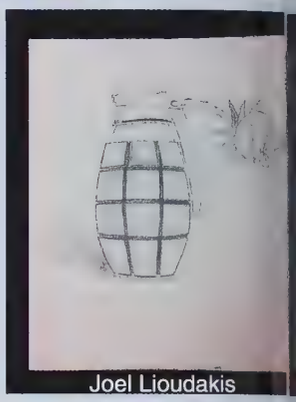
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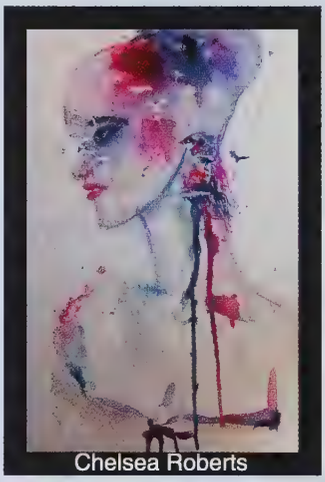
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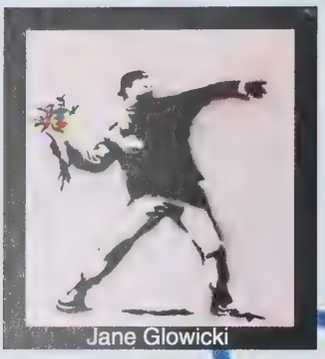
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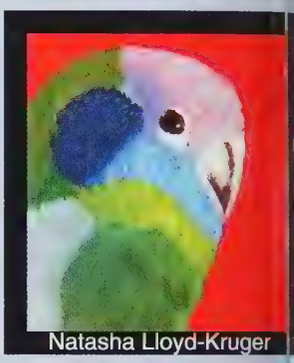
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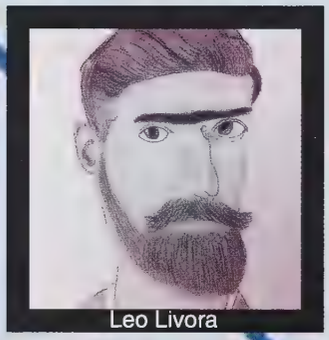
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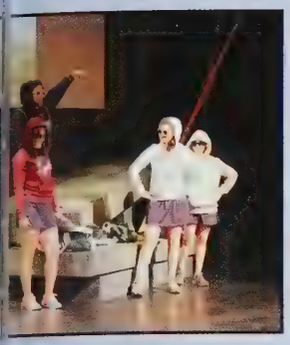


Grade Nine Shakespeare Day

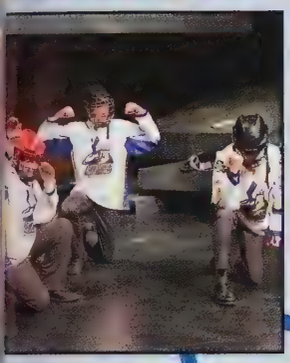
Dr. Dorian's classes performed The Tempest and Midsummer Night's Dream, and Mrs. Wells' classes presented Love's Labour's Lost. We would like to say a big thanks to the people who helped us through the process:

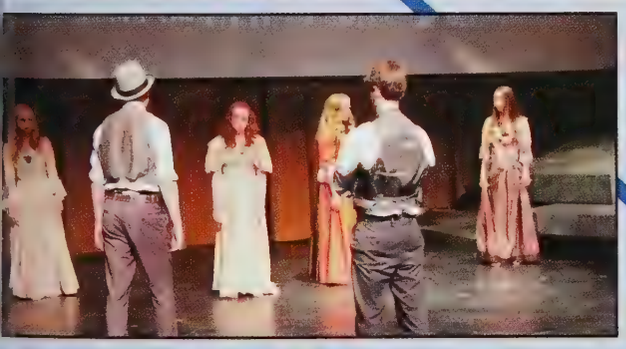
Shauna Baird-Salomon and Adrienne Smook worked with the grade nines throughout the process, coaching their acting and helping to prepare for the show.

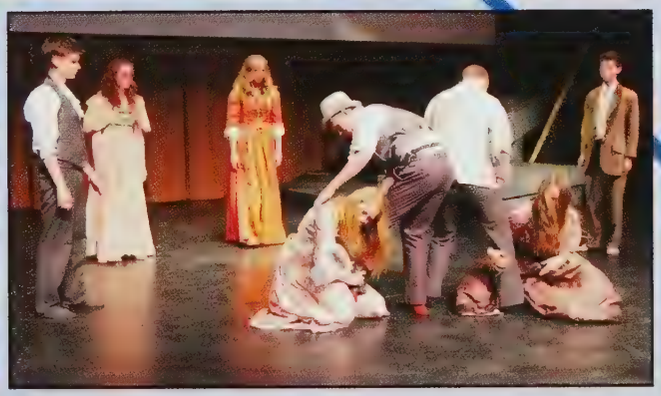
We had wonderful technical support thanks to Geoff Ewert, Spencer Ronnenkamp, and Konnor Klashinsky.

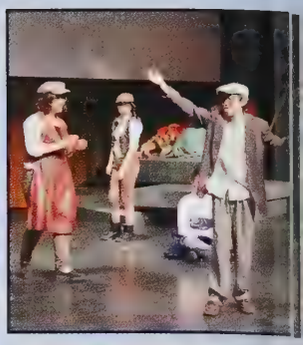
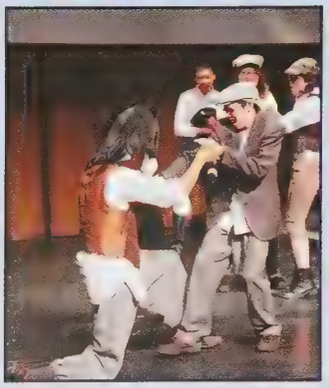
We had loads of help from our custodial staff Keith Broughton and Paul Prieur, and in the cafeteria from Myki Engelland.

Also, thanks to the Drama Department, Ian Collet and Kate Pagett, for letting us use their space.







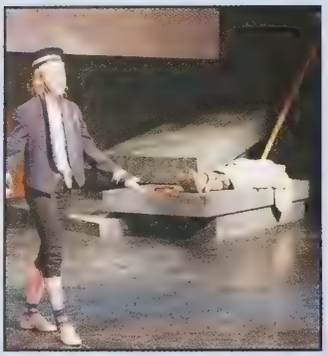



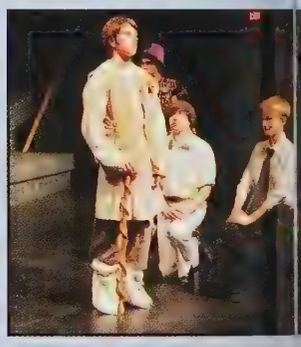
Grade Nine Shakespeare Day

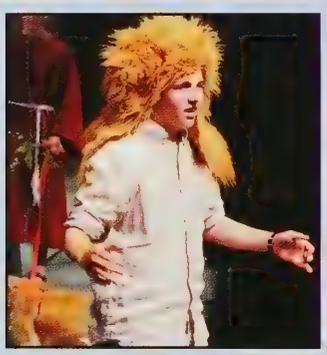
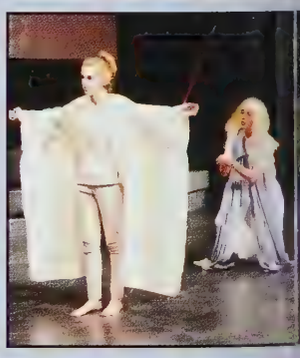
The Grade 9 classes would like to thank all the parents who decorated, baked, volunteered their time, and helped their kids with costumes. Special thanks to the parents who organized the medieval feast: Jayne Forster-Coull, Tammy Khanna, and Beverly Reist.

Under the direction of Mr. Clint Lundgren, entertainment during the feast was provided by Elizabeth Duncan, Alex Hughes, and Connor Slatkoff-Sharpe, with a special guest performance by Shukai Zhang.

Under the direction of Mr. Steve Thompson, music was provided by: Elisa Cheng, Raymond Liu, Quinn Colpman and Dan Cumberbirch.





Grade Ten Personal Project

The personal projects this year were as varied as they could be! From raising chickens and sheep to boxing to learning the sitar and every idea you could think of in between. Many students became involved in activities that extended beyond the end of the project. Thanks to all the parents who supported their student's dreams and to all the teachers who helped guide them.

AWARD WINNERS:

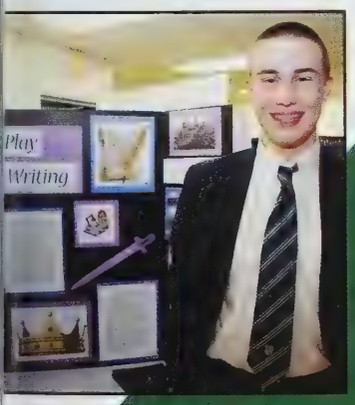
Communicator:
Nathan Kuehne

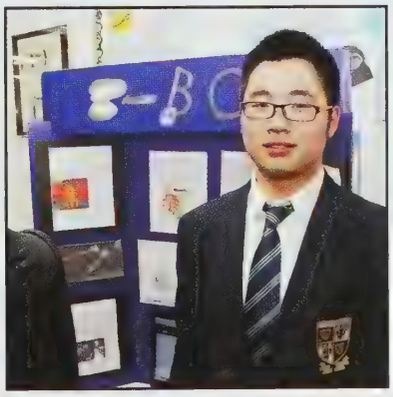
Risk-Taker:
Geoffrey Harper

Thinker:
Michael Cooper

Inquirer:
Annika Svorkdal

Community and Service:
Kiara Hopkins





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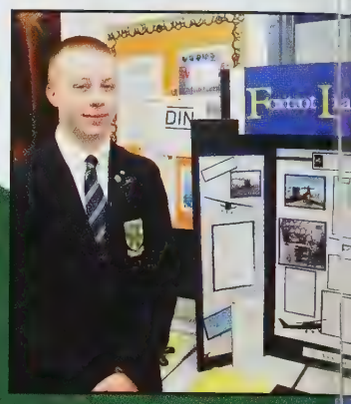

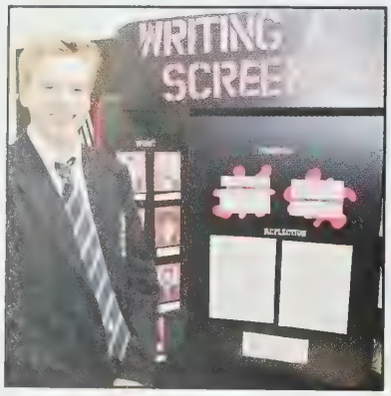
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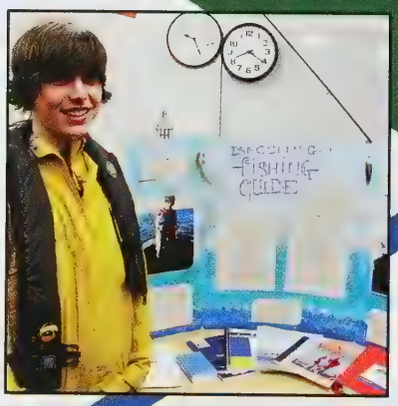
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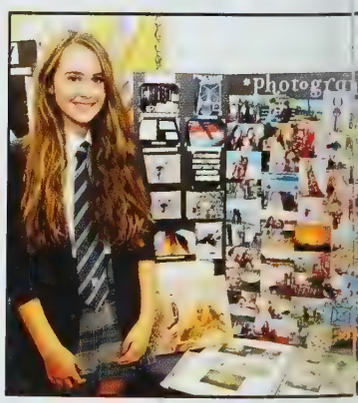
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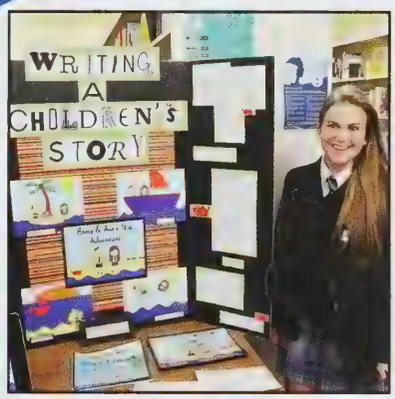
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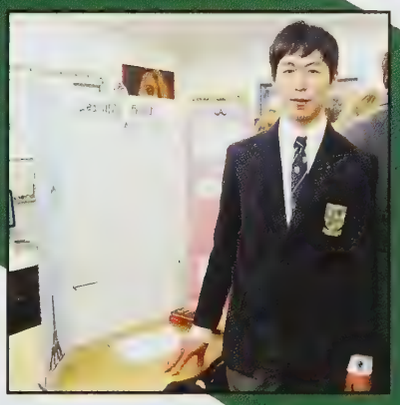

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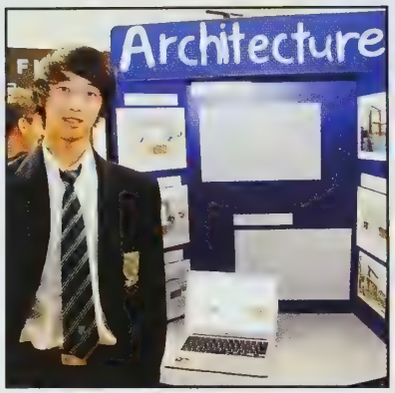
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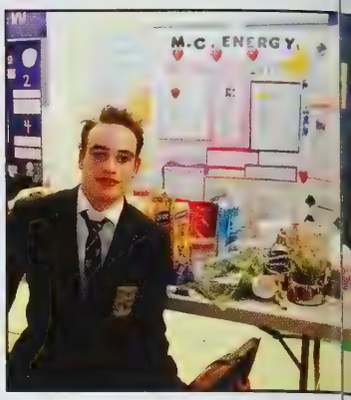
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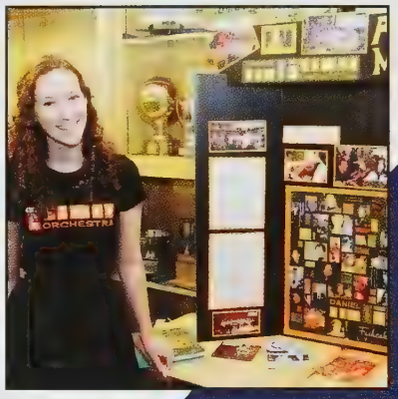

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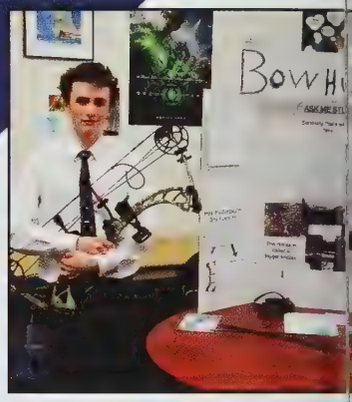
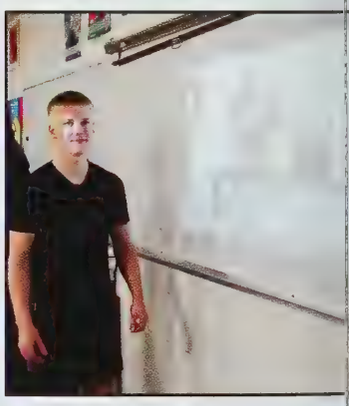
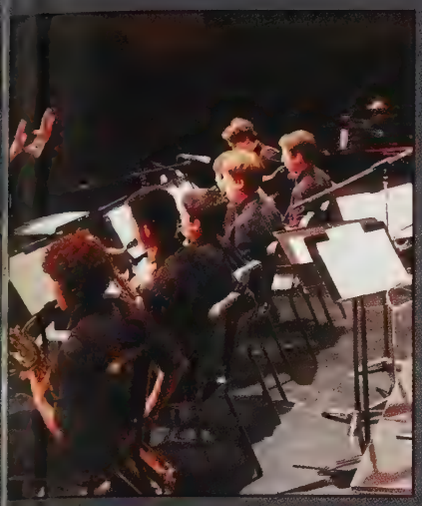
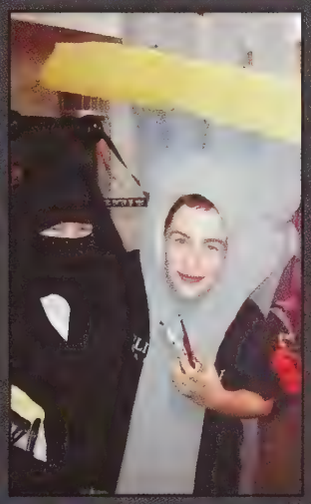








Fall Term

MIDDLE SCHOOL PREFECTS

The Middle School's prefects for 2013-2014 were a perfect examples of the leaders and risk takers we have in our school community. This year's prefects are:

Hannah Salomon (Head Girl)
Angus Silver (Head Boy)
Caitlin Forester- Coull (Female Games Captain)
Hamish Vaughan- Wimmer (Male Games Captain)
Tori Windle (Round Square Prefect)
Kate Addison (Fine Arts Prefect)
Allan Chen (Blue House)
Chelsea Roberts (Green House)
Shota Yamamoto (Yellow House)
Thomas Allan (Red House)

GR. 6 RECYCLING TEAM

"The Middle School Gr. 6 Recycling Team" is actually the entire Gr. 6 student body who all partcipate in GNS's recycling program. Each homeform participates regularly throughout the year, collecting waste and items to be recycled at lunch in the cafeteria (which is then recycled by Mr. Broughton). These students are the Middle School's youngest leaders, yet they set an example for the rest of the Middle School as to how we can take better care of our planet.

YEARBOOK CLUB

A special thanks goes to all the students, parents, coaches, and teachers who emailed pictures to Mrs. Tradewell or uploaded them to Replayit.com, and to everyone else who participated in GNS's creation of our yearbook. Their hardwork and dedication did not go unnoticed, especially to those who were part of the Yearbook Editing Team:
(Gr. 9) Eleana Block, Jenny Utley, Julie Yu, and Jessie Rost
(Gr. 10) Diane Woo and Megan Thompson
(Gr. 11) Kiki Cekota, Prue Gilmour, and Jessica Froese
Photographers: Kathy Xu, Susan Sun, and Cheryl Alexander
Teachers: Cheryl Tradewell and Elspeth Horn

Everyone in Yearbook Club would especially like to thank our club coordinator Cheryl Tradewell, the true leader of this year's creation of our book. She organized, and lead students through the process of creating our yearbook, and was an ongoing source of knowlege and support for students. Thank you Mrs. Tradewell! (Mrs. Tradewell would like to add that any mistakes or omissions are her fault and she welcomes more help for the team next year!)

SENIOR SCHOOL PREFECTS

This year's Senior School Prefects are extraordinary leaders and great examples of the type of student that attends GNS. Our Senior School Prefects are:

Natalie Salomon (Head Girl)
Alasdair Hinton (Head Boy)
Jessica Grundmann (Female Games Captain)
Adam Kwasny (Male Games Captain)
Anca Fetcas (Round Square Prefect)
Faseeha Gondal (International Prefect)
Rachael Keighan (Environment/Adventure Prefect)
Lauren Caters (Service Prefect)
Kyra Bohlken-Hern (S.A.C. Prefect)
Hunter Watson (Grad Prefect)
Fraser Rinald (Fine Arts Prefect)

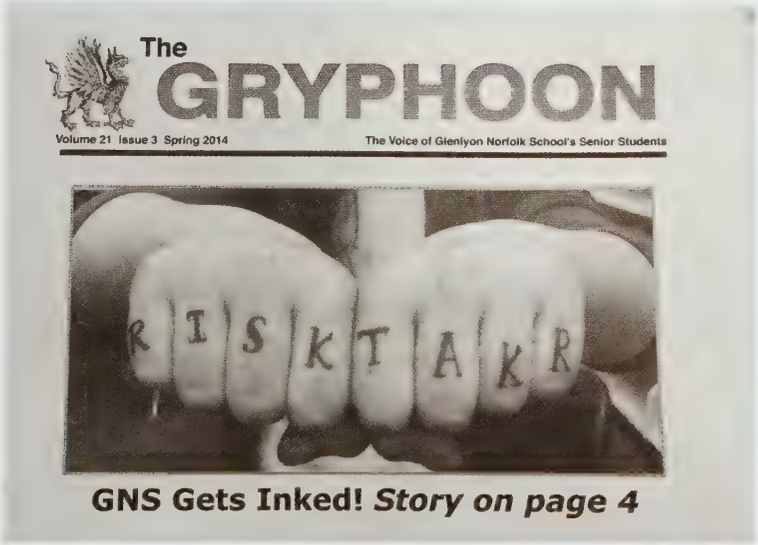
The prefect team had a retreat before the year started and another at the beginning of January, where they spent their time at Tigh na Mara.

THE SENIOR SCHOOL GREEN TEAM

Reducing, reusing, and recycling are three major ideals that the Senior School emobodies. Our 2013-2014 Green Team led by Environmental Prefect Rachael Keigan did a wonderful job in encouraging greater environmental awareness in our school. With regular involvement in the recycling program, work in the Change Garden, environmental awareness days, and other forms of involvement, the Senior School Green Team most definatley "did their part". Go Green Team!

THE GRYPHON

"The Voice of Glenlyon Norfolk School's Senior School Students" is a perfect motto for our school's newspaper *The Gryphon.* A variety of dedicated students and their teacher sponser Clint Lundgren dedicated time and effort to creating different issues of GNS news. The students involved in the Gryphon include: Connor Slatkoff Sharpe, Elizabeth Duncan, Clint Lundgren, Fiona Thompson, Lauren Henderson, Kiki Cekota, Elaine Kim, Sarah McDonald, Julianna Bourjeaurd, Ammar Inayatalli, Cachelin Hall, Olivia Hannigan, Ashleigh Martens, Alasdair Hinton, Natalie Salomon, Alex Hughes, Shukai Zhang, Madelynn Marchildon, Skye Spaulding, Molly Hospers, Julianna Bate, and Clare Venn Skillman.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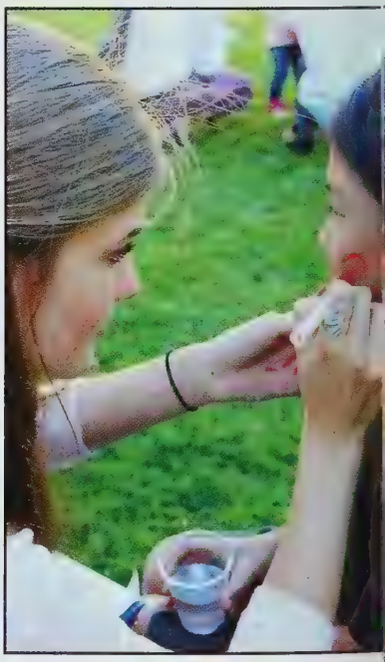
Celebrate!

a new school year and our school's actual 100th birthday!

Welcome Back Picnic

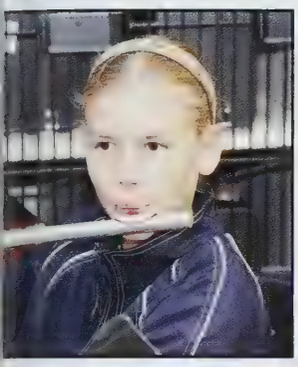
This year's Welcome Back Picnic was a fun time. There were games to enjoy, wonderful dishes to try and it was filled with the buzz of the start of a great school year. The picnic was a communal achievment, with the help of many GNS families, student volunteers, and GNS staff, as well as great leadership from GNS parent Lisse Lotte. While the welcome back picnic was a collaboration of our school community, there were many people from outside of our school who provided the delicious meal. Thanks to Cakes Etc., Demitasse, Charelli's, Pig BBQ Joint and the Rootcellar! Also, thanks to Cook's Day Off who came to the rescue with delicious salads when we needed more food because of the great turnout!



Happy Birthday, GNS!

On September 10th, the Middle School and the Senior School gathered in the Gudewill Gym to celebrate Glenlyon Norfolk School's 100th birthday. After a cheerful chorus of 'Happy Birthday', the students at Pemberton Woods each enjoyed a delicious piece of cake!

Grade 6 Band Workshops



On September 25th, 26th, and 30th the Grade 6's began another wonderful year in Band Workshops, instructed by seven special guests: Emily Nagelbach with the flutes, Tom Ackerman with the clarinets, Audrey Bailey with the saxophones, Tim Quinlan with the trumpets, Nick LaRiviere with the trombones, James Young with the basses, and last, but not least, Kelby MacNayr with the percussion.

Senior Boys Soccer

Soccer

Coaches: Justin Parish and Mr. Hugh Williams

Grade 12: Jason Bradbury, Adam Darcie, Osbert Fan, Callum Fehr, Rhys Fletcher-Berna, Joseph Gale, Andrew Hindi, Mathew Hindi, Jyotish Khanna, Kirk Lumley, Fraser Rinald, Liam Shillington, Hunter Watson.

Grade 11: Francis Mbroh, Alijah Monckton, Christopher Wieczorek.

Grade 10: Mackenzie Cole, Geoffrey Harper, Brennig Prevost, Liam Stanley, Joe Whysker.

Grade 9: Pierce Colpman, Julian Dosanjh, Matthew Sutherland.

Thanks to our linesmen including Jeremy Liu who is in the photo above.

The Senior Boys enjoyed an excellent ISA Championships at Southridge in Surrey. They came out on top as the Champions of the entire tournament, making them the first repeat champions in our school's history. The Senior Boys placed third in the Carhi tournament, as well as an outstanding second place in the 'AAA' league. At the 'A' Islands tournament they came first, making them the Island Champions. They then went on to win the impressive title of 'A' BC Champions in the provincial tournaments. And finally to end the season off, the Senior Boys had a very exciting game at the Colonist Cup finals. Some notable individual awards for the boys were: Jason Bradbury- team MVP in the ISA Championships, Jyotish Khanna- team MVP in the Carihi Tournament and Provincial Championships, as well as winning the Golden Boot, and Hunter Watson- Commissioners 11.

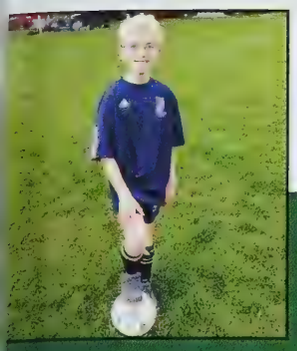
MS Girls Soccer

Coach: Mrs. Davidson

Grade 6: Erin Addison, Anastasia Castro, Kate Crocker, Camille Germain, Maddie Harris, Maiya Hernandez-Morrison, Chloe Hill-Huse, Katie Hurst, Izzy Irvine, Tess McCaig, Megan Vroom, Jenna Walker, Amy Zhao.

Grade 7: Fallyn Denford, Alessandra di Frassineto, Rachel Diment, Siobhan Golonka, Sydney Hemphill, Emma Hofer, Aniela Jarvis, Jasmine Lee, Bree McElvaine, Annie McLeod, Jenna Reist-Millward, Lynden Taylor, Emily Thompson, Vaia Vasko, Leah Zack.

Grade 8: Andrea Egan, Charlotte Germain.



Soccer, Soccer!

Grade 6/7 Boys Soccer

Coach: Mr. Burnett

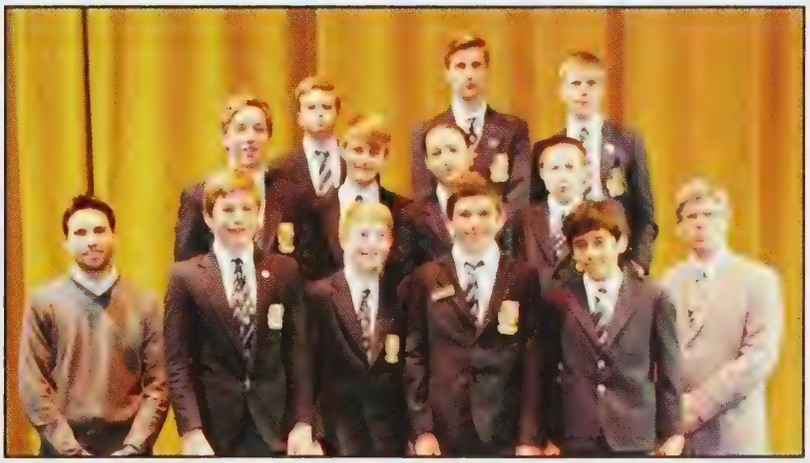
Grade 6: Liam Hoogewerf, Cameron McElvaine, Jackson Miller, Leo Prosalendis, Ronen Somogyi, Jakob Svorkdal, Robin Zhang, Sam Zhao

Grade 7: Thomas Dansereau, Noah Fekete, Anthony Hartnell, Evan McEwan, Rhys Norman, Frank Sun, Nolan Smith, Liam Turner

Grade 8 Boys Soccer

Coaches: Mr. Pimlott and Michael Sparrow

Nikolas Crabtree, Sam Crocker, Lucas Darke, Kris Neilson, Jack Prosalendis, Dylan Samphire, Millar Smith, Bjorn Svorkdal, Hamish Vaughan-Wimmer, Sebastian Wicke, and Patrick Wieczorek.



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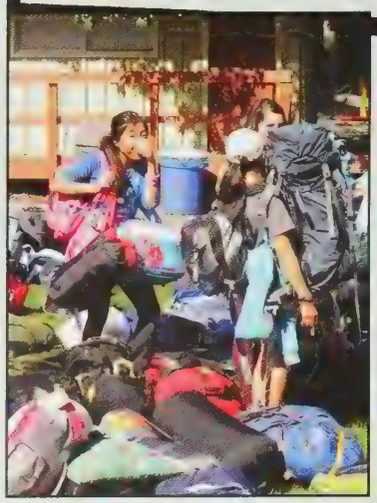
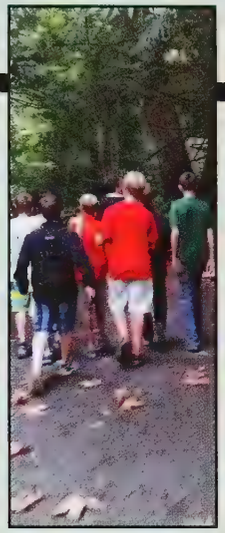
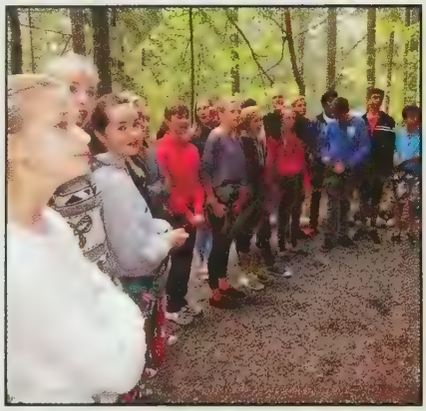






Senior School Kayaking

Trip To Discovery Island Marine Park

A group of Senior School students took part in a kayaking trip to Discovery Island Marine Park from September 18 to September 20. This adventure involved practice sessions, kayaking to and from Discovery Island, camping for two nights, and many other activities in between. Some of these activities included a hike and an invasive species removal service activity.

The excursion was led by Doug Tyrrell, along with a certified female kayaking guide.

Middle School Outweek 2013

This year the Middle School ventured to Camp Qwanoes for their annual Camp David Outweek for three days. They participated in many activities, varying throughout the grades, including outdoor education activities, initiative games, reflections, and team building. For the Grade Eights, there was also a WildPlay Day. This camp is an opportunity for the Middle School students to become closer for an amazing school year.

Kludahk Outdoor Ed. Trip

Caitlin Maxwell, Cameron Graham, Victoria Wells, Skylar Broeren, Charlotte Mall, and Jessica Froese participated in the Kludahk Outdoor Ed. Trip to San Juan Ridge near Jordan River on September 15th, and were accompanied by Andrew Jackson and Sarah Frizelle. They practiced safe travel and camping techniques as outlined in the preparatory sessions.

Run

GNS encourages students to participate in an active lifestyle

The Middle School students and teachers participated in GNS' annual Terry Fox Run on September 26 for National School Run Day. Students and teachers departed from Clover Point and made the trek to the Mile '0' Terry Fox Monument where Caitlin Forester-Coull, one of the Middle School Games Captain prefects, read a motivating speech in honour of Terry Fox.

MS Cross-country

Coaches: Ms. Stott, Mr. O'Callaghan

The GNS MS Cross-Country team had a fantastic year with a whopping 4 meets! Our biggest turnout was Monday morning at 7:30a.m practices. Many students came just for those practices and did not actually compete in the meets as they were just getting some extra fitness in for their other sports!

Grade 8: Sam Crocker, Caitlin Forster-Coull, Chloe Korol-Filbey, Heather Webster
Grade 7: Gaby Girard, Siobhan Golonka, Chris Graham, Sydney Hempill, Ella Hoogewerf, David Huang, Nancy Huang, Frank Sun, Lucy Zhang
Grade 6: Kate Crocker, Mikaela Vandenham, Megan Vroom, Amy Zhao, Sam Zhao

GoodLife FITNESS
VICTORIA MARATHON

Mr. Lidstone
In November, Mr. Lidstone debuted over the marathon distance in the Goodlife Victoria Marathon with an impressive time of 3:28. Well done, Mr. Lidstone!

Outweek

SS Cross-Country

The Senior School Cross-Country team consists of a small but dedicated group of students and the coach Paul O'Callaghan. They meet twice a week to practice. This small but mighty group have participated in numerous races and three students, Ellie McLeod, Emily Forster-Coull and Megan Reist-Millward, have qualified for the provincial championships, for the first time in GNS history! The future is bright for GNS Cross-Country!

Grade 9: Emily Forster-Coull, Anna Letkeman, Megan Reist-Millward, and Nicholas Woytowich. Grade 10: Eloi Batista, Aiden Longcroft-Harris, and Ellie McLeod. Grade 11: Christopher Groves.

What's **Your** Story?

Congratulations to Señor Reeves who competed triumphantly against many high class riders on a difficult, muddy course in Cumberland this fall.

Debate and Public Speaking

In October, Jyotish Khanna, Alex Hughes and Natalie Salomon competed against speakers from around the world in the 4 day International Public Speaking and Debate Tournament. Jyotish placed in debate finals, and Natalie Salomon placed first in dramatic monologue and 6th overall, thus winning a place to the World Finals in Lithuania. The Internationals are a ferociously competitive event in which up to 60 world teams compete in a series of rounds in various events; Jyotish, Alex, and Natalie should be rightly proud of their accomplishments. Thanks to Tammy Khanna for chaperoning the students. In November, Kadie Freeman traveled to Saskatoon and Regina to represent the school at the National Student Debating Seminar. Both her and Natalie were invited to go. Well done and congratulations to those who participated in debate and public speaking at GNS this fall!

Swimming

GNS Swimming is a small but strong team. Students face particular challenges because GNS has no pool, nor a coach or regular practices. They train outside of school. Nevertheless, Erik Harper, Anna Letkemen, and Tabitha Zammit competed hard at the Island Championships in Nanaimo. Erik qualified for provincials in Richmond, with over 1000 other swimmers. He swam in the 50 meter freestyle and 200 meter medley. After racing against some of the top swimmers at the competition, Erik achieved the best time in the 200 meter medley. "I did my best and was proud to represent GNS and show Gryphon pride" said Harper of the race. Well done Gryphons!

Soccer

The Senior School Junior Boys Soccer Team had an amazing season. After having to postpone their first play off game vs Reynolds because the referee never showed up, the decision was made to have the game at GNS the following day. The kickoff was at 1:00 October 17th. Reynolds had their first loss of the season to GNS (3:1). The team would then have to win one of their next games to qualify for the Island's. Sadly, the boys did not make it. They fought hard, but lost to SMUS 3:2. The season will be remembered for winning silver at the ISA's.

Silver at ISA's

Team Members:
Grade 8: Hamish Vaughan-Wimmer.
Grade 9: Logan Airey, Pierce Colpman, Rowan Damant, Hunter Hernandez-Morrison, Thomas Horan, Spencer Lee, Aidan McCallum, Francesco Navaro Roby, Max Stewart, Matthew Sutherland, Joseph Sutton-Tafe.
Grade 10: Finley Ballantyne, Alexander Hofer, Jeremy Liu, Anders Murray-Hemphill, Brennig Prevost, Jamie Shillington, Jackson Vesey, David Weaver, Joe Whysker.
Coaches: Mr. Davidov, Ming Lim, and Shawn Pickersgill.

Senior Girls Field Hockey

The Senior Girls had a successful season despite many injuries. They went up against many skilled teams including Shawnigan and Crofton House and did their best. Thank you to the coaches Bunny Hughes and Andrew Jackson for some good times! The team was composed of seniors Jessica Grundmann, Christina Sharp, Zoe Hopkins, and Skyler Broeren. The Grade 11 members were Prue Gilmour, Kiki Cekota, Julianna Bourjeaurd, Jessica Froese, Sarah McDonald, Elizabeth Duncan, and Katherine Baillie. The Grade 10's were Maddy Marchildon, Lynaea Korol-Filbey, Caleigh Macpherson, Olivia Kwasny, Kiara Hopkins, Adrienne Graham, and Victoria Martens. Lastly, the Grade 9's showed extraordinary effort (for some, it was their first time playing.) Danielle Thoms, Chloe Freeman, Simi Kaloti, Emily Forster-Coull and Megan Reist-Millward, congratulations! Well done everyone on a developmental and rewarding season of field hockey!

Grade 9 student Chloe Freeman was an outstanding goalie throughout the season.

Grad Retreat

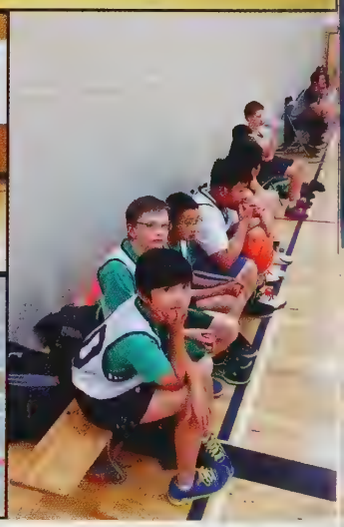
SS Jr Girls Volleyball

Ms. Drever's team

Jessa Broeren, Elisa Cheng, Caitlin Ciceri, Corinna Darcie, Jordan Egles, Rebecca Griffiths, Simrin Kaloti, Shalini Khanna, Kathlyn MacMillan-Denhoff, Krislene Mariano, Talia Mitchell, Jenny Utley, Kathy Xu, and Julie Yu.

MS Boys 6/7 Basketball

Mr. Burnett's team



Matthew Alexander, Iain Betts, Thomas Dansereau, Christopher Graham, Evan Guildorf, Anthony Hartnell, Liam Hoogewerf, David Huang, Chanmyung Kim, Jackson Miller, Rhys Norman, Ian Prescott, Ronen Somogyi, Ethan Stanger, Frank Sun, Jakob Svorkdal, Robin Zhang.

MS Boys 6/7 Basketball

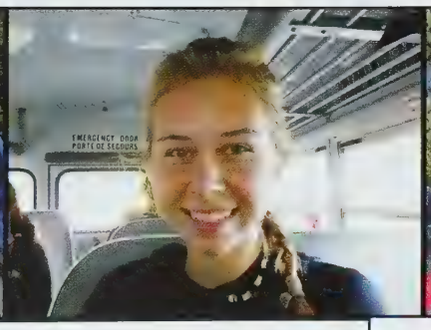
Mr. Blake's Team

Ciaran Breen, Ethan Dickinson, Henry Down, Colby Earnhart, Drake Erickson, Lewis Fallis, Matthew Geng, Karsten Lund, Evan McEwen, Leo Prosalendis, Joel Verrier, Alex Wells, Sam Whitten, Harry Zhang, Sam Zhao.

MS Girls 6/7 Basketball

Ms. Davidson's Team

Erin Addison, Kate Crocker, Alessandra di Frassineto, Rachel Diment, Camille Germain, Siobhan Golonka, Nicole Gonin, Maddie Harris, Maiya Hernandez-Morrison, Chloe Hill-Huse, Ella Hoogewerf, Katie Hurst, Aniela Jarvis, Jasmine Lee, Tess McCaig, Bree McElvaine, Jenna Reist-Millward, Lynden Taylor, Emily Thompson, Maia Vasko, Megan Vroom, Leah Zack, Lucy Zhang, Amy Zhao .



Surf Camp

From November 15-17, a selection of Grade 12's traveled up to Tofino to brave the bitter cold and master the art of surfing. With help from the Surf Sisters, the students had an exciting, worthwhile experience. Guides: Mr. Jackson, Mrs. Jackson, Mr. Lidstone, Mr. Tyrell. Students: Kyra Bohlken-Hern, Jason Bradbury, Skylar Broeren, Lauren Caters, Jamie Charles, Rhys Fletcher, Zoe Hopkins, Caitlin Maxwell, Grace Ruthven, Christina Sharp, Allie Szwender, Wesley Whyte.

YALP

Ammar Inayatali, Amy Blandford, Anca Fetcas, and Ciam Utley planned to participate in the Youth Addressing Local Poverty Conference on November 15th and 16th. The conference empowered youth to become advocates for issues addressing local poverty and boasted speakers such as world-renowned activist Marc Kielburger and spoken word artist Shane Koyczan. Due to scheduling conflicts, Ammar was our only attendee.

CAIS Boys U13

The CAIS boys U13 socer team traveled to Upper Canada College and Royal St. George's College in Toronto, Ontario. They competed against teams from all across the country, ending the tournament with admirable results. Coach: Mr. Henry.
Grade 6: Matthew Alexander, Ethan Dickinson, Chanmyung Kim, Reid Thompson, John Windle, Joey Verrier. Grade 7: Iain Betts, Henry Down, Lewis Fallis, Chris Graham, Darrian Heatherington, Matthew Geng, Evan Guildford, Karsten Lund, Ethan Stanger.

October 18th, Ms Waugh took a group of Middle School students to Vancouver to We Day. Speakers included Craig and Marc Kielburger and Martin Luther King III while performers included Avril Lavigne and Hedley. The nine lucky students were: Camille Germain, Maddie Harris, Sidney Hemphill, Bree McElvaine, Chelsea Roberts, Hannah Solomon, Caitlin Steves, Maia Vasko and Megan Vroom.

FIN FREE VICTORIA

Some of the MS Fin Free group went to the BC Legislature to ask North Vancouver Liberal MLA Jane Thornthwaite to help them with their campaign for a BC ban on shark fin sales. Their passionate presentation convinced Jane to agree to help them. The campaign is ongoing.

NATIONAL CHAMPIONS - CAIS Girls U15

ach: Mrs. Jackson and Mr. Parish. Grade 7: Kaya Oro Martin.
ade 8: Caitlin Forster-Coull, Charlotte Germain, Chole Korol-Filbey, Desiree al, Chelsea Roberts, Isobel Sweeney, Tori Windle. Grade 9: Talia Mitchell, aire Wheaton, Jessa Broeren, Caitlin Ciceri, Emily Forster-Coull, Ellice axwell, Megan Reist-Millward.

The history of GNS in the tournament is a rich one; we won in 2002 and again in last year's tournament. One of the inherent challenges of the CAIS tournament is the age restriction on the players, making it difficult for a team to repeat as champions. Unfortunately for the other teams, someone forgot to tell our girls: the average score line was 6 - 0 in our favour! The girls earned a well-deserved gold medal, collecting their second consecutive national championship.

The U15 girls competed in the annual national CAIS tournament from October 4-6 at the Holy Trinity School in Toronto. They won a well-earned second consecutive gold medal.

Kansai Visit

Once again we were pleased to hav Kansai School visit GNS. From the 23r to the 27th of October, Kansai student had an amazing time with the GN students. They arrived on Wednesday October 23rd and met up with thei GNS buddies. All day Wednesday an half of the day Thursday the Kansa students enjoyed their time at GNS! O Friday they went exploring aroun Victoria, with visits to the Museum an UVIC as well as trying out curling. O Saturday they enjoyed the whole da doing fun activities with thei homestays. Sadly on Sunday, Octobe 27th, the day had come for the Kansa students to travel back to Japan. W had great pleasure having the Kansa students here at GNS, and look forwar to seeing them again next year!

SS Climbing

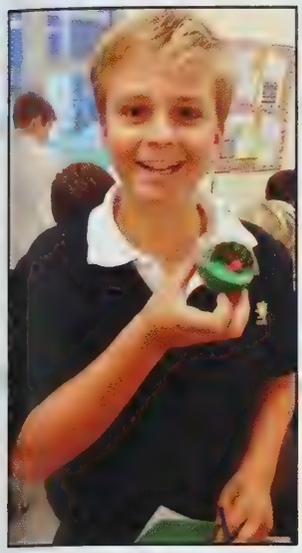
During the Senior School Climbing Club, the students were involved in two activities: top-rope climbing and bouldering. In order to be allowed to climb, the students must pass a belay test at Crag X. By taking the belay test, students know how to tie safely into the system and belay each other. The Climbing Club is taught by Mr. Rick Lidstone at the GNS Cimbing Wall and The Crag X Climbing Facility. In the winter, the students go to Crag X from 3:30 pm to 6:15 pm, and they have the option of climbing on Mondays or Thursdays. The students in grades 9-12 had an awesome time climbing this fall, and will hopefully join the Senior School Climbing Club again next year!

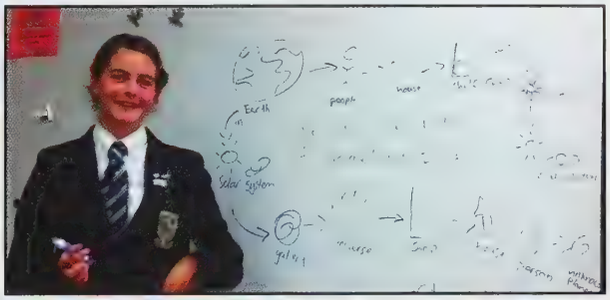
Model UN

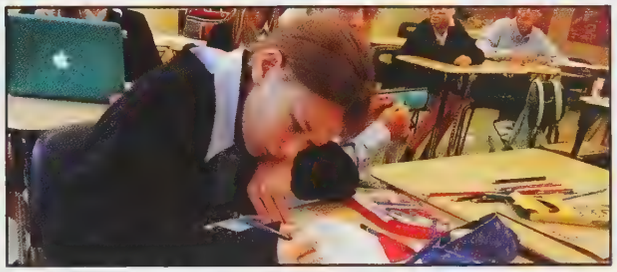
On November 2nd and 3rd, the 12 students involved in the Model United Nations at GNS participated in the Model United Nations Conference at UVIC. The students worked as delegates and really enjoyed the conference!

MS Academics

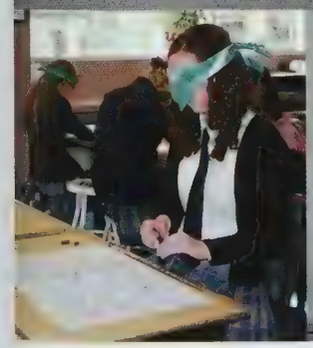
From the Gr 8 Science Room: Kris, Bridgette and Grace have the 3D cell models of an organelle and are describing how its form is related to its function and Nicole is explaining her own personal theory of evolution in a flow chart. From the Gr 7 Social Studies classes: Ian is showing his Mesopotamian Tool, the the other students are making their "What Drives Change" Collage.





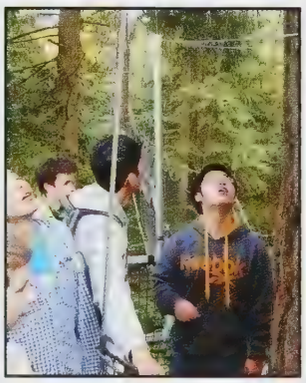


SS Gr.10 Art



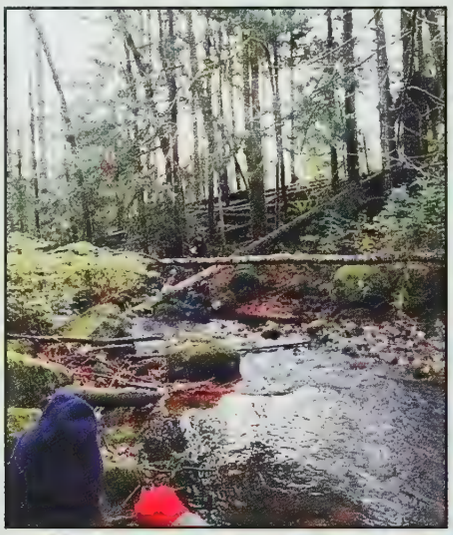
Grade 10 Science field trip

At 5:30 am on October 30, all the grade 10 Science classes went on an excursion to the University of British Columbia accompanied by Mr. Rick Lidstone, Mr. Richard Zuk, Ms. Erin Dallin, and Mr. Rick Calderwood. Throughout the day, the students toured TRIUMF, Canada's National Labratory for Partical and Nuclear Physics, and the Biodiversity Museum. They also enjoyed a walk along the Aerial Trail System at the Greenheart Canopy Walkway, as part of the UBC Botanical Graden and Center for Plant Research. The grade 10's had an amazing time in Vancouver, and during this opportunity they were able to further their knowledge about radiation.



IB Biology 11 field trip

On November 3rd, the IB Biology 11 course went on an extended field trip to the Demaniel Creek area of Sooke and participated in Streamkeepers at Camp Bernard. While there, they conducted an extensive survey of the physical and biological characteristics of Demaniel Creek and covered many of the learning objectives in the Ecology Unit of the Biology program at GNS. The students were accompanied by Mr. Richard Calderwood, and Ms. Mully Jackson. The field trip was over two days.

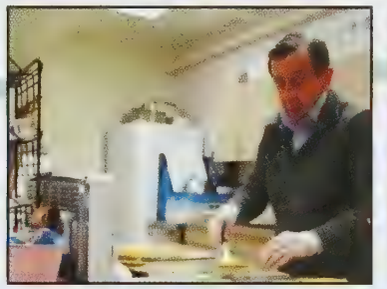


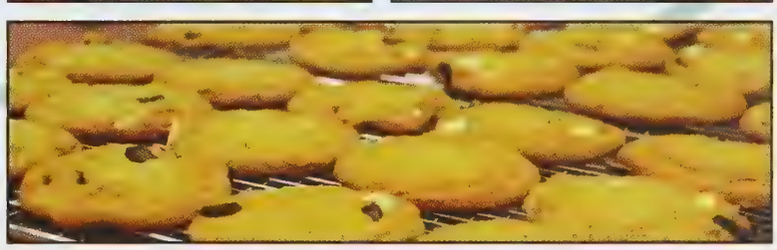
MS IB Tamagawa Summit

On Thursday, October 24, a group Middle School students travelled to Tamagawa University in Nanaimo, BC. They joined visiting Japanese students and students from Stratford Hall. The students took their upcycling projects from their Too Much Stuff project where they designed and made a usuable item from materials which would otherwise be thrown away. They took a laptop case made from plastic bags fused into fabric, coasters from the same plastic bag material and art work made from plastic bottle caps. Included in the group were Shota Yamamoto, Tori Windle, Anna Harama-Bedard, Michael Norris, Dylan Samphire, Lucas Darke, Khalil Tuff, Drew Jackson, Stella McCaig, Robyn MacMillan, Jenna Millar, Hannah Salomon and Sebastian Wicke.

Positivity Project

The Positivity Project does many fun activities such as the Positivi-Tea and the cookies in assembly. Every cold day this year, the Positivity Project has arranged a tea station in the lower Gudewill building so students and teachers can enjoy hot tea before beginning the school day. The club also met in August so we could start the year with positive quotes chalked all over the school yard. One of their most appreciated acts is that in some assemblies, the Positivity Project puts sticky notes on the sides of a few of the seats, giving a free cookie to the lucky people who choose those seats. Thanks to all the students involved and the volunteer parent bakers!





IB History 11

In November, the IB History 11 students listened to representatives from the League of Nations. Members look quite familiar . . .

Grade 11 Art

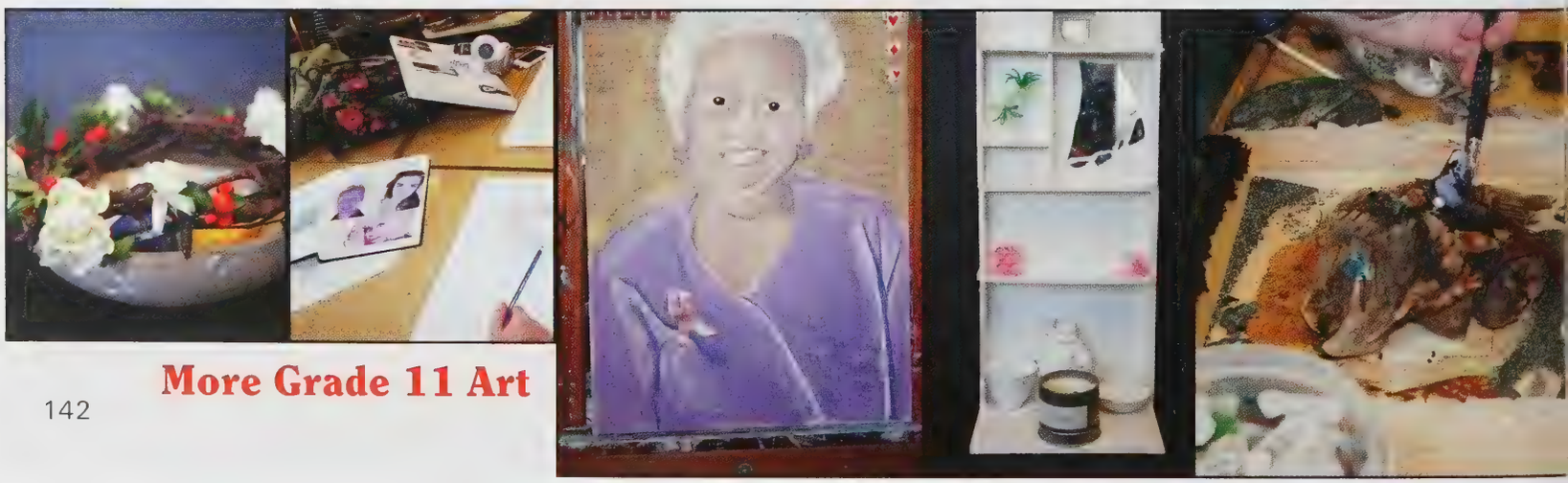
These are some photos of the Grade 11 Art class creating their spirituality projects

Senior School Band Camp

The Senior School Band Camp was held on Friday, October 4, starting at 3:30.

IB Music Concert

On October 29th, Brooke Turner, Ashleigh Martens, Patrick Granegger and Carleigh Chew performed as IB Candidates. The evening consisted of these students performing a wide variety of music: classical, musical theatre, and pop. The night was greatly successful and we wish them luck with the next concert on the 23rd of January.



More Grade 11 Art

Senior School Life Drawing

These commited students met on Tuesday evenings at 7:00 to 9:00. They took part in life drawing sessions with professional models and were joined by local artists.

Senior School Jazz Night

The Senior School Jazz Night took place on Monday, October 21.

Grade 7/8 Girls Basketball

The Middle School Grade 7/8 girls had a great season, participating in various jamborees such as one at Journey Middle School in Sooke. Congratulations to Anna Ciceri, Andrea DeMeo, Andrea Egan, Caitlin Forster-Coull, Charlotte Germain, Jane Glowicki, Anna Harama-Bedard, Chloe Korol-Filbey, Desiree Leal, Natasha Lloyd-Kruger, Robyn MacMillan, Niki Marriott, Grace Martin, Stella McCaig, Jenna Miller, Bridgette Norwood, Renee Rathwell, Carrie Van Cleave, and Mrs. Ali Doerksen their coach!

Grade 7/8 Boys Basketball

The Grade 7-8 Boys Basketball team went undefeated this year. They played with style, passion and skill. This mixture of Grade 7 and Grade 8 boys was a force to be feared. Their smothering defence allowed them to handily beat all of the schools they played, and yet they enjoyed the spirit of competition and the chance to play together. Congratulations to Ciaran Breen, Alan Chen, Sam Crocker, Lucas Darke, Henry Down, Matt Geng, Chris Graham, Camden Leith, Kris Neilson, Jack Prosalendis, Takahiro Tanaka, Khalil Tuff, Runze Wang, Sebastian Wicke, Patrick Wieczorek and Mr. Randy Ollech, their coach!

Jump

Senior Girls Volleyball

The Senior Girls Volleyball Team had an amazing season. On November 12th, the girls defeated St. Andrews in the City AA Volleyball Championships, with four very exciting sets: 27-25, 22-25, 25-10, and 25-22. The team finished the season in good form, making 7th place in the AA Island's Tournament. Congratulations to Diana Chkipov, Kadie Freeman, Cachelin Hall, Elaine Kim, Isabelle MacMillan, Allie Szwender, Annabel Thornton, Kealy Troje Hoyt, Clare Venn Skillman, Claire Wheaton, and Paige Wheaton with their coaches Ellie Sercombe and Farrah Newnham.

Debate Tournaments

The Middle School and Senior School debate clubs have had a busy and successful term! Starting the year off with debate retreats in September, they continued into the fall with other tournaments available to students. With the support and guidance from GNS Debate Coach John Baty, Assistant Coach Elspeth Easton ('10), and other Alumni debate coaches including Robert Bailey ('04), Andrew Komlodi ('09), and Jennifer (Alex) Dutton ('99), the students were able to accomplish their goals and develop their skills. The team would also like to recognize the support of GNS Staff Sarah McKerlich, Annie Vallance and Geoff Macdonald.

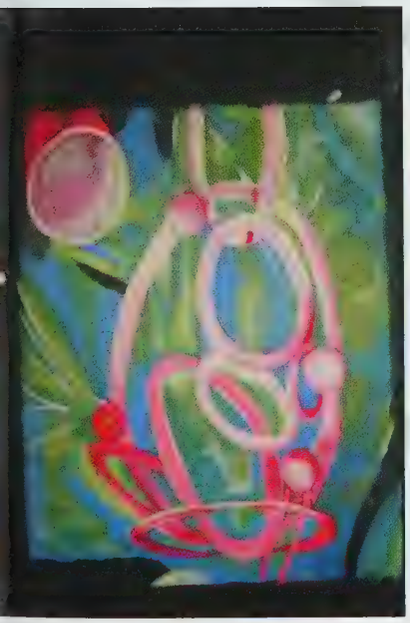
Brentwood College Novice Debate Tournament *October 25*
Winning Speaker: Maia Vasko
Winning Team: Rachel Diment and Maia Vasko

McGill Invitational National High School Debate *October 25*
Competing: Michael Cooper and Issac Hordiyuk (in 200 teams, this team placed just short of the finals!)

UBC Debate Society Tournament *November 9 and 10*
Competing with 180 Junior Debaters: Michael Cooper (2nd speaker), Chloe Freeman (5th speaker), David Weaver (6th speaker)
Competing with 90 Junior Teams: Chloe Freeman and Nicholas Mamic (4th team)
Competing with 220 Senior Debaters: Isaac Hordiyuk (10th speaker)

Oxford Cup National Competitions in Vancouver
November 22 and 23
Qualified: Kadie Freeman, Isaac Hordiyuk, Jyotish Khanna, Fiona Thompson, and Annabel Thornton

The Middle School debate club included Lyndon Arfield, Ciaran Breen, Sam Crocker, Andrea DeMeo, Rachel Diment, Ben Djukastein, Matthew Geng, Anthony Hartnell, Darrian Heatherington, Natasha Lloyd-Kruger, Evan McEwen, Henry Morrison, Kris Neilson, Dex Owen, Ian Prescott, Hannah Salomon, Angus Silver, Millar Smith, Nolan Smith, Jasmyne Storm, Emily Thompson, Khalil Tuff, Carrie Van Cleave, Maia Vasko, Sebastian Wicke and Tori Windle.



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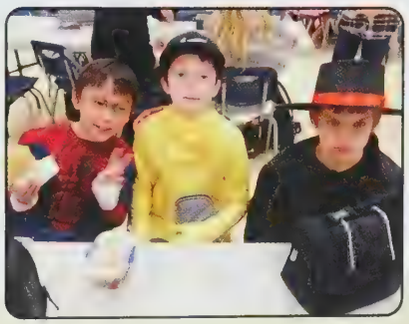


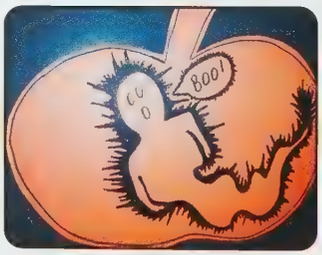
Middle School Halloween

This year's Middle School Halloween mufti day was a great success. Students were extremely creative with their costumes!

The Middle School participated in a pumpkin carving contest to celebrate Halloween.

The Decades Dance

This year's Senior School Halloween dance had a decades theme. Students were asked to dress as anything from the 20's to the 90"s. Thanks to the Student Activity Council, the evening was a great success!



SS Library Club

SS Library Club During the Fall term, the library club helped decorate for Halloween as well as spreading Christmas cheer throughout the Senior School. Through casual meetings where members drank tea, discussed current literature and watched the occasional festive movie, this term was a great success.

The **GRYPHON**

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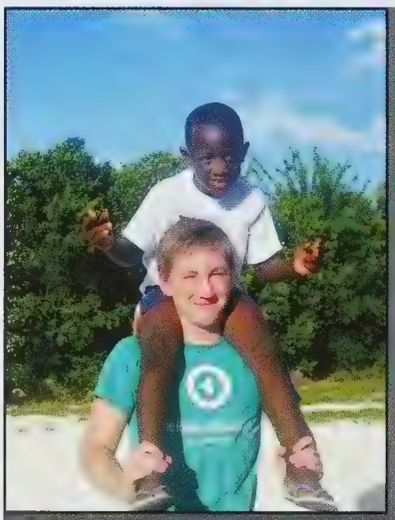
The Fall term was a very exciting term for the Senior School Newspaper, The Gryphon. This term's edition was released in October and featured articles written by: Natalie Saloman, Alasdair Hinton, Chris Wieczorek, Clint Lundgren, Connor Sharpe, Fiona Thompson, Olivia Hannigan, Lauren Henderson, Julianna Bourjeaurd, Elizabeth Duncan, Ammar Inayatali, Nick Taylor, Kiki Cekota, Elaine Kim, and Ashleigh Martens. Thanks to the Editor-In-Chief Connor Slatkoff Sharpe. The Gryphon would like to thank Goldstream Press for their extreme generosity in printing this term's paper free of charge!

Round Square Talent Show

Round Square and Rowing

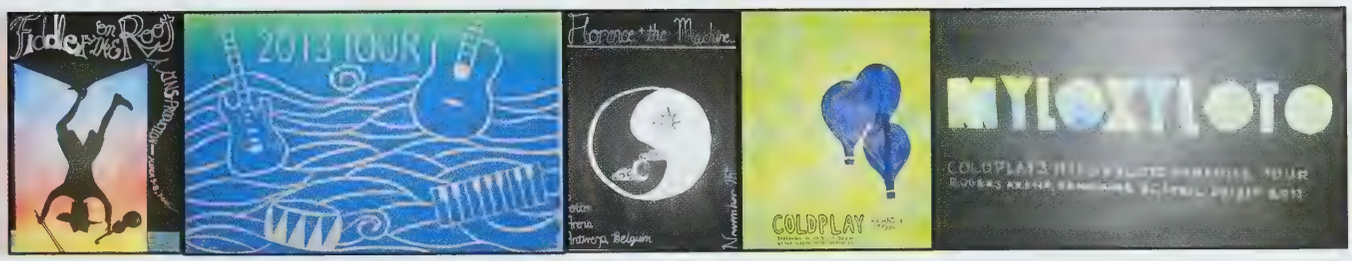


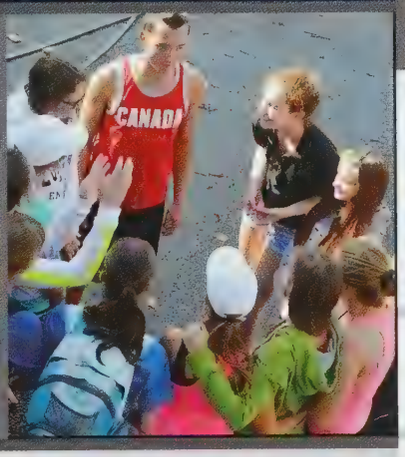
ROUND SQUARE

Round Square International Conference at Saint Andrews School in Boca Raton, Florida. Delegates Danny de Clare, Cameron Graham, Cachelin Hall, Caitlin Maxwell, Lexy Stewart, and Ciam Utley worked long busy days where they expanded their understanding of science, service, and the world around them.

International Club sponsored this exciting crepe making event. Charlotte Mall, an exchange student from France, organized and ran the event. Lots of different students ate and helped clean up after eating crepes.

Art 11 and 12 created eye-catching gig posters. Life-drawing classes challenged students to work beyond the paper in the evening.





The GNS Rowing team came in third overall and secured numerous medals in the City Championships despite difficult racing conditions. On the women's side, Kianna Scheel came 3rd in the Advanced Single; Niki Marriott, Elizabeth Duncan, Andrea Herrmann, and Ilse Loomer-Scott came 2nd in Senior Novice Four; Lauren Caters and Ali Marriott came 2nd in Senior Double; Annika Svorkdal and Adele DesBrisay came 3rd in the Junior Double; and Kianna Scheel and Ali Marriott came 3rd in the Advanced Double. For the men, Dylan Thompson, Edward Down, Jesse O'Neill-Bains, Andre Prescott, Jack Wild, Lucas Hoelscher, Drew Jackson, Brandon Turner, and Aiden Longcroft-Harris (cox) came 2nd in the Junior Novice Eight; Nicholas Taylor, Owen Heaney, Danny de Clare, and Jake McCallum came 1st in Advanced Four; Jake McCallum was 1st in Advanced Single; Stephen Ewald, Alijah Monckton, Quinn Colpman and Ammar Inayatali came 2nd in the Senior Four; Aidan McCallum, Max Stewart, James Duncan, Spencer Lee, Alex Adam, Ian Halliwell, Bjorn Svorkdal, Pierce Colpman and Duncan Wallace (cox) came 2nd in the Junior Eight; and Austin Wild, Owen Heaney, Quinn Colpman, Ammar Inayatali, Christopher Groves, Thomas Halliwell, Stephen Ewald, Nicholas Taylor and Duncan Wallace (cox) came 3rd in the Advanced Eight.

ROWING TEAM Alexander Adam, Madeleine Berry, Eirin Caters, Quinn Colpman, Pierce Colpman, Avery Dagg, Danny De Clare, Adele DesBrisay, Edward Down, Elizabeth Duncan, James Duncan, Steven Ewald, Chris Groves, Ian Halliwell, Tom Halliwell, Owen Heaney, Andrea Herrmann, Lucas Hoelscher, Ammar Innayatali, Drew Jackson, Spencer Lee, Aiden Longcroft-Harris, Ilse Loomer-Scott, Ali Marriott, Niki Marriott, Aidan McCallum, Jake McCallum, Alijah Monckton, Laura Norwood, Jesse O'Neill-Bains, Andre Prescott, Grace Ruthven, Kianna Scheel, Hannah Steenkamp, Lexy Stewart, Max Stewart, Annika Svorkdal, Bjorn Svorkdal, Nick Taylor, Dylan Thompson, Brandon Turner, Duncan Wallace, Austin Wild, Jack Wild.

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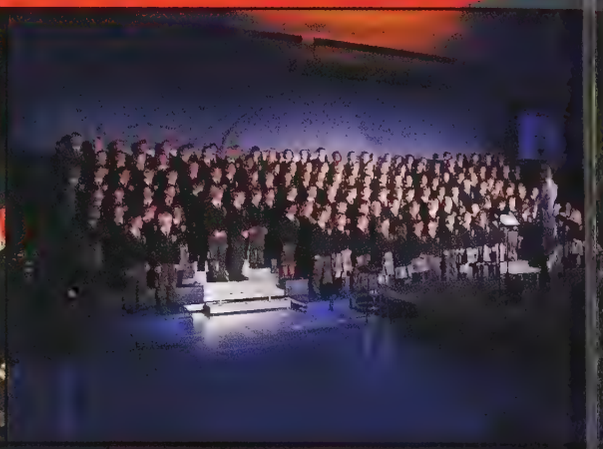
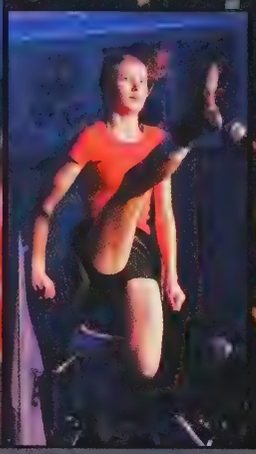
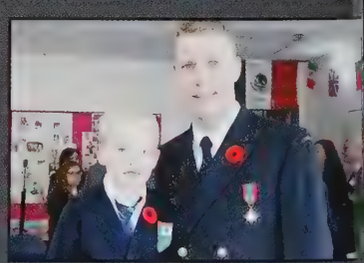






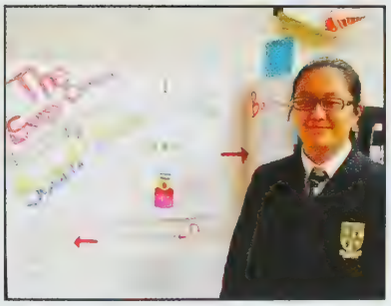
Senior School fundraiser

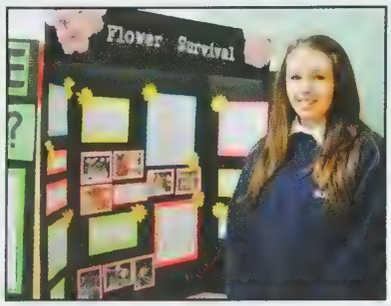
A large number of students were involved in the fund raiser this year. A number of girls cut off their long locks to donate for wigs and three of them went the step further and joined the large group of guys who shaved their heads.

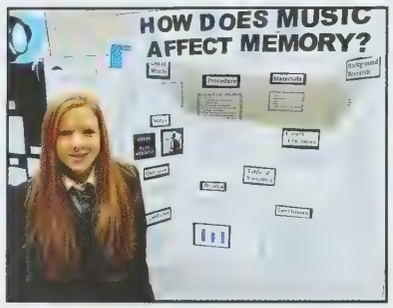
Approximately $10,000 was raised by the school and the students involved in the head shave.

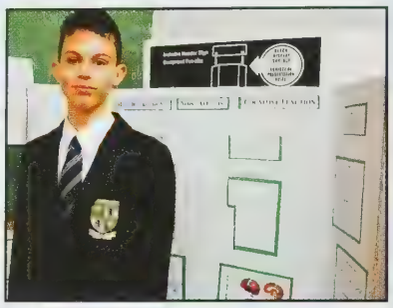
Head Shave and Hair Donation

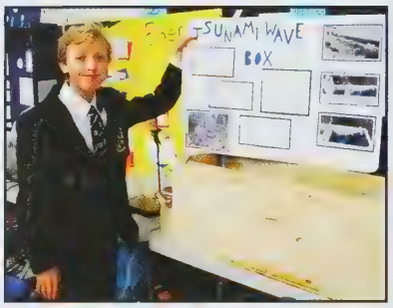
Grade 9 Science Fair

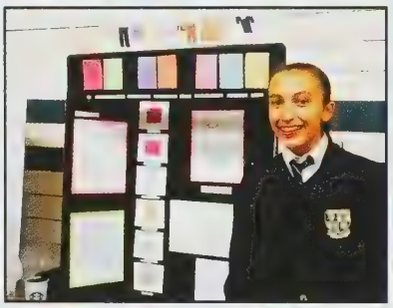


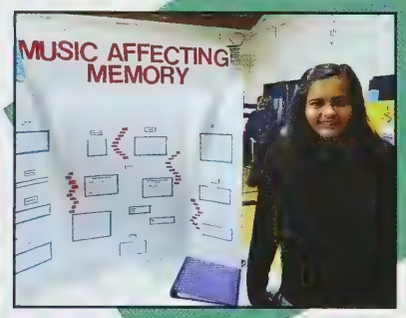












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Chloe Freeman

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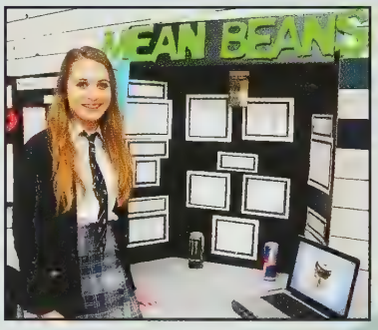

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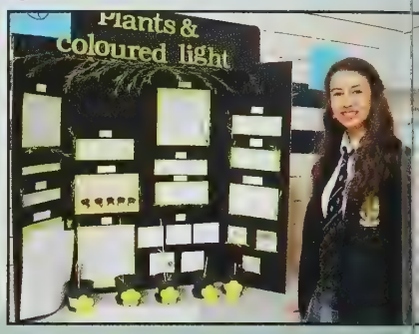
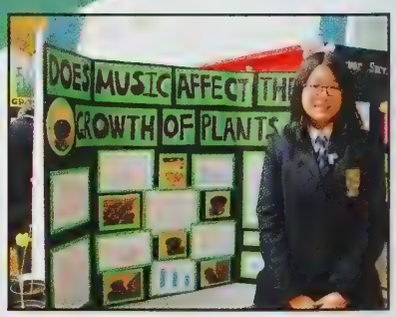


Hannah Block

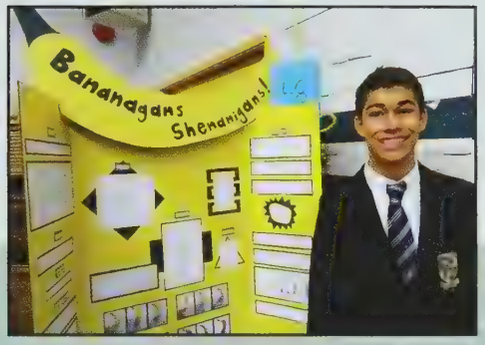
Winners were eligible to move on to the Vancouver Island Regional Science Fair competition but the selection process took into consideration students in Grades Ten through Twelve who also prepared Science Fair projects. Look in the Spring Term to see the amazing results from the Regional Science Fai



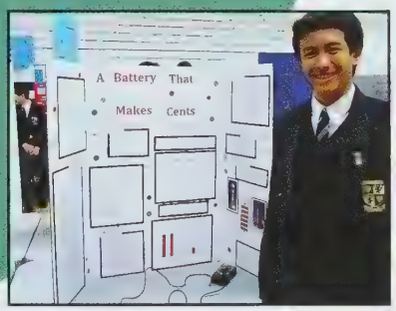
Winners of Chemistry:

Claire Wheaton

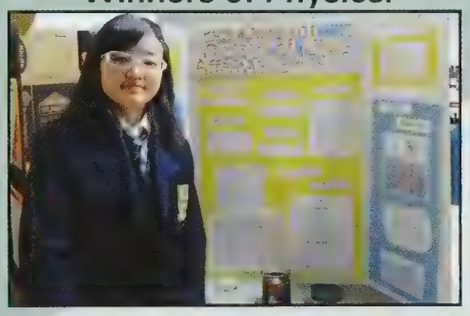
Matt Sutherland



Winner of the Top Display:
Jesse O'Neill-Bains



Winners of Physics:



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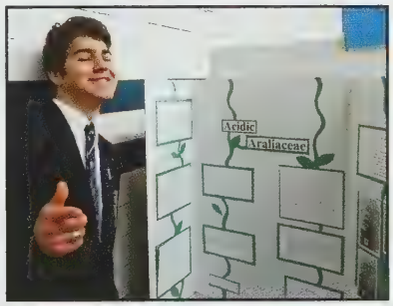
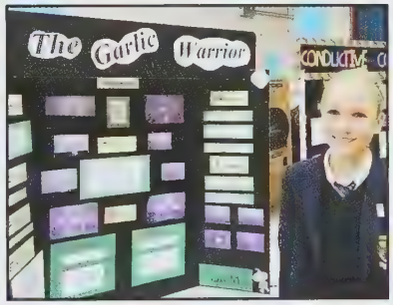
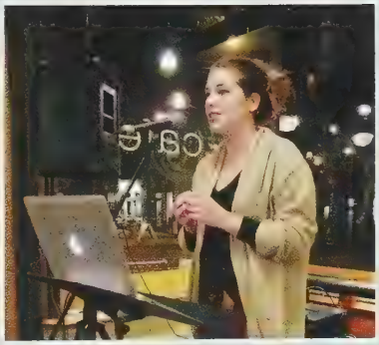
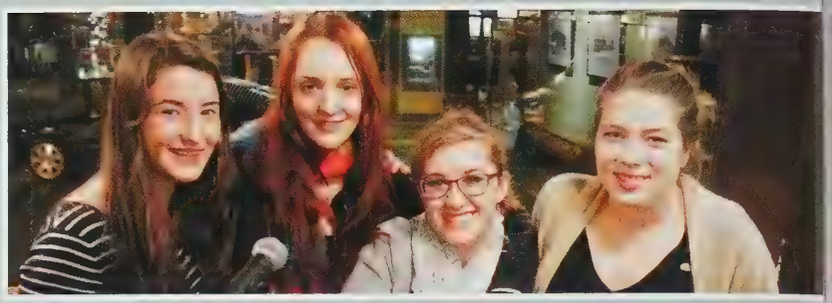




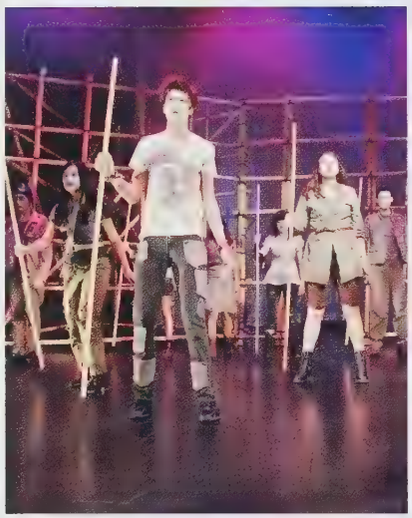




Slam Poetry - On December 10th the Slam Poetry team had their first public performance of the season, preparing them for their team trip to to Vancouver to compete in Hullabaloo.

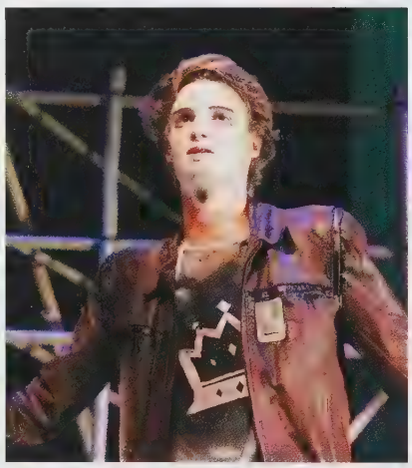
AGAMEMNON

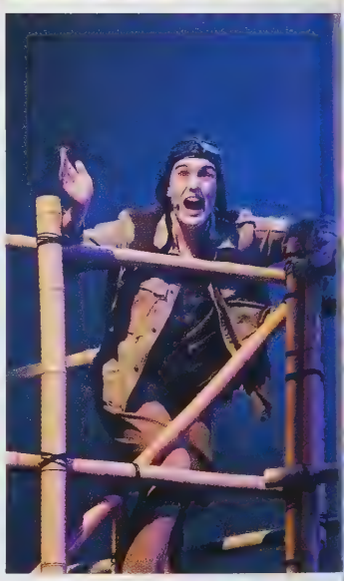
Directed by Ian Collet and musically directed by Dr. Marvin Regier. This ancient Greek musical was a smash hit! The production, performed in late November, dealt with themes of war, love, justice, murder, status and revenge. The cast consisted of: Jack Wild, Alice Xiao, Konnor Klashinsky, Tony Liu, Spencer Ronnenkamp, Evan Thoms, Thomas Watkins, Georgia Borissov, Ann He, Owen Heaney, Charlie Kocurek, Connor Slatkoff Sharpe, Susan Sun, Shukai Zhang, Olivia Hanigan, Ashleigh Martens, Eric Yvorchuk, Vivienne Zhang, James Rathwell, Brooke Turner, Sandra Zhou, and Kealy Troje Hoyt.

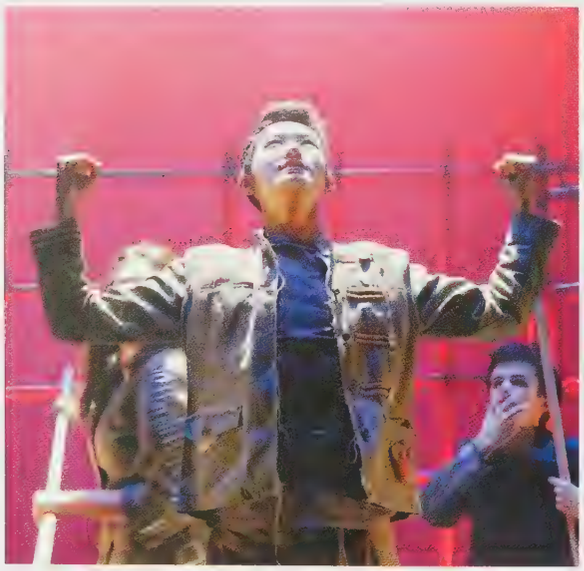


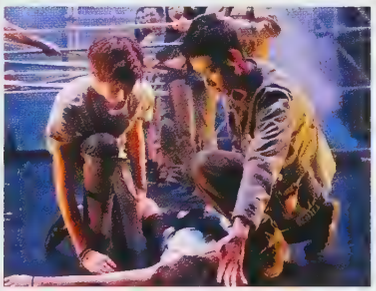
Costume Design - For the Production of Agamemnon the costumes were designed and created by two grade 12 art students: Jivian Bains-Wood and Maggie Hospers. Thanks to these two very talented artists whose costume designs allowed for a fresh take on Greek theater!

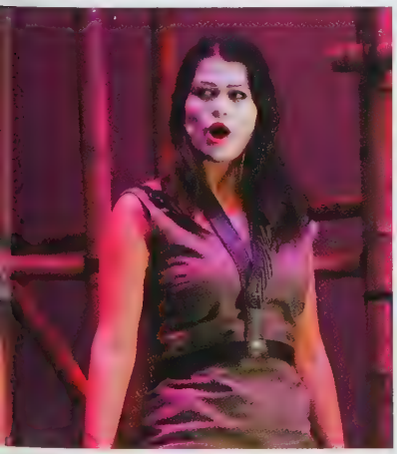
Tech Club - Members include: Jivan Bains-Wood, Chen Zhao Ze, Molly Hospers, Konnor Klashinsky, Vincent Klashinsky, Cedar Rain, Spencer Ronnenkamp, Zackary Wang, Jason Xu. Their contributions are noted in every assembly and in each production or performance done at the school.

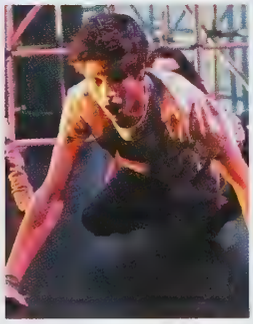












Winter Wonderland Band Concert

Senior School Concert Band

The Senior Conert Band played a variety of songs at this year's Winter Wonderland Band Concert: White Christmas, Silent Night, Sleigh Ride, Christmas Time With Charlie Bown, and Winter Wonderland.

Middle School Concert Band

The Middle School Concert Band entertained the crowd with a number of songs including In The Bleak Midwinter and Carol Of The Bells, as well as participating in the Massed Bands rendition of Good King Wenceslas and Jingle Bells.

Medieval Feast

The Grade Eights Social Studies unit culminated in a Medieval Feast.

Grade Six Beginners' Band

The Grade Six Band showed their progress by playing A Demonstration Performance and Jolly Old St. Nicholas and in the massed band pieces. A duet of God Rest Ye Merry, Gentlemen was performed by Joel Verrier and Sebastian White.

Senior Jazz Orchestra

The Jazz Orchestra played The Christmas Song, Have Yourself A Merry Little Christmas and Feliz Navidad. Soloists included Megan Thompson, Anders Murray-Hemphill and Sandra Zhou.

Middle School Jazz Band

The Middle Shool Jazz Band played Jingle Bell Rock, with soloists Emily Thompson and Evan Guildford.

Service of Nine Lessons & Carols

On December 11th, the GNS community gathered together for the annual Service of Nine Lessons and Carols in Christ Church Cathedral. The carol service is a celebration of music and the season. The Junior School Intermediate Choir, the Middle School Choir, and the Senior School Choir sang hymns and carols such as "O Come All Ye Faithful", "Sleep Little One" and "For Unto Us a Child is Born". Readers included representatives from all three schools as well as an alumn and our headmaster, Mr. Bruce-Lockhart.

Service

Middle School cooking at Mustard Seed

Chemistry Demo

Grade 1 students visited the Pemberton Wood Campus for a Chemistry demo by Grade 12 students.

ROUND SQUARE

Senior School cooking for Out of the Rain Youth Shelter

Heading to the Beach

The grade 6's slipped back to the Beach Campus to read to the kindergarden on December 12th.

Periodic Table

The new periodic table is a joint venture between grade 9 and 10 art and science students. It has been installed in the Atkins Building. Students were asked to create an artistic representation of the elements of the periodic table.

Five lessons from Nelson Mandela

Mr.Bruce-Lockheart spoke in an assembly about the five lessons he learned from Nelson Mandela:

1. One person can make a huge difference.
2. Never give up hope.
3. Forgiveness is much more powerful than revenge.
4. A person of integrity can be a hugely successful political leader.
5. Doing good is much more important than doing well.

Warm a Soul

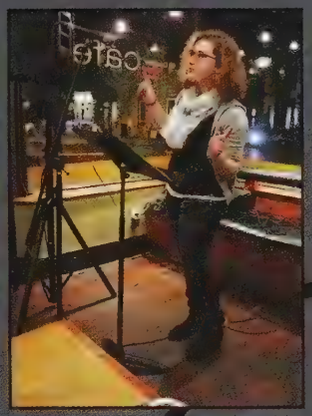
The Middle and Senior school stuffed sockings for the people who are homeless.

Service Opportunities

The service opportunities in December included: bookkeepers for the David Foster Foundation, the assistant cooks for Grade 4 and 5 students at La Tavola Kitchenware and volunteers at the Mustard Seed Donation Table at the Bay Centre.

Candygrams

Santa's elves prepare Candygrams, a Round Square fundraiser for Woodwynn farms.

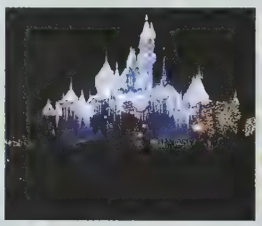


Winter Term

Disneyland Band Tour

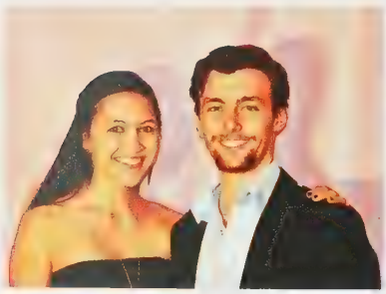
The Band visited the Disneyland and California adventure parks, and performed on Disney's Big Thunder Ranch Jamboree Stage in Frontierland. In addition, the students benefitted greatly from a Disney Performing Arts Workshop and a workshop with the California State University, Northridge. When not playing, the group toured The Grammy Museum, L.A. Live, and watched a performance of the *Lion King* at the Pantages Theatre. The tour group was also fortunate enough to perform at a retirement community in the outskirts of Anaheim and dedicated the final morning to volunteering at *The Midnight Mission* kitchen in downtown Los Angeles, serving over 800 homeless and underprivileged civilians.

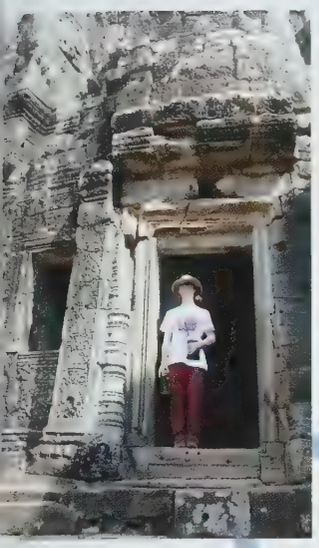
This year the Senior School Concert Band took part in an action packed 5-day trip to Los Angeles and Anahiem, California from December 12th to December 16th, 2013 with Band teachers Steve Thompson and David Suomi Martinnen and Gail Windle as chaperons. During the trip, the 15 band students from grades 8 to 12 participated in workshops, tours, sightseeing, performances, and service. The students who participated were: Eric Grewal, Pierce Colpman, Jason Xu, Edward Down, Austin Wild, Trevor Rutherford, Megan Thompson, Kealy Troje-Hoyt, Bryn Cubberly, Brandon Turner, Casey Woo, Jamie Charles, Graham Morrison, Tori Windle, and Nathan Kuehne.



S.A.C.

The Student Activity Council (S.A.C.) organized and sponsored the "Yule Ball" Winter Formal Dance in December and Casino Night in February. Thanks to the work of the Council's members and teacher coordinators Andrea Harris and Angie Girard, these events were a great success.

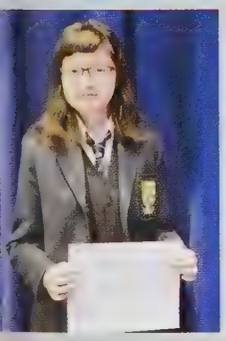




Cambodia Trips

Grade 11 student Ali Marriot took part in a 23 day service trip to Cambodia from December 5 to 27, 2013. During this incredible experience, she and 19 other students and 2 teacher leaders worked at a garden and at a school building teacher accommodation. She went on two weekend trips, a hike to mountain top villages, and a visit to Angkor Wat.

Mully Jackson, Leah Stott, and Ian Collett joined a team of 25 faculty from all over the world in Cambodia. They attended a two-day Round Square Leadership Training workshop followed by a ten-day Project to put their classroom learning into practice.

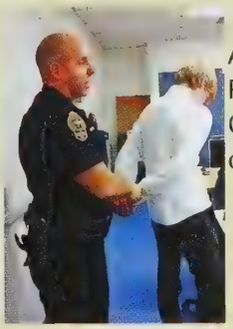


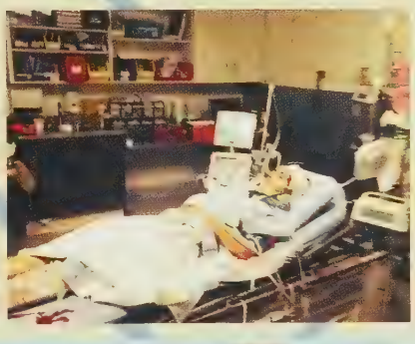
Math Contest

Alice Xiao (Gr. 9) placed in the 94th percentile, first in our school in the Canadian Open Math Challenge.

Gr. 10 Party

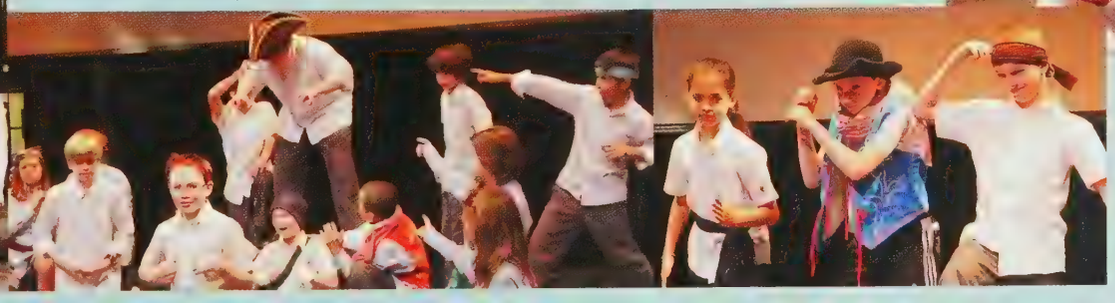
All Grade 10's participated in the P.A.R.T.Y. Program and visited the Victoria General Hospital to learn about the consequences of driving while impaired.





Grade 6 Growl Tiger

Grade 6 students performed "Growltiger" by T.S Eliot in their drama class.

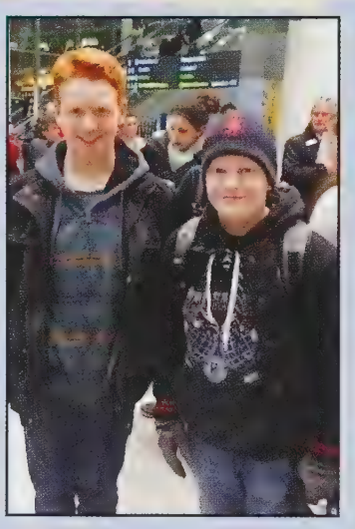


Gr. 6 Skating

Friendships

MS Exchange

Tori Windle and Thomas Allen's Bayview Glen partners: Isabella Ibrahim and Devin Downham.



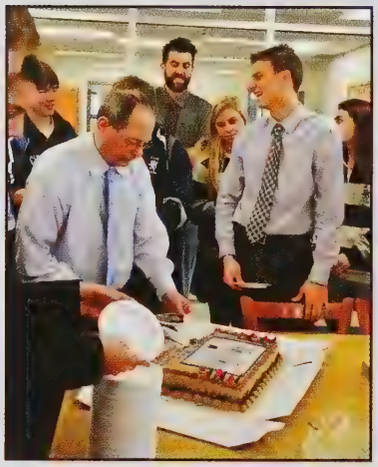
MS New Physical Activity Center

The new equipment was eagerly anticipated and it was difficu to keep students off the structure when it was partially installe. A HUGE thank you to the Parents' Auxiliary for this donation!

Int. Club Chinese New Year

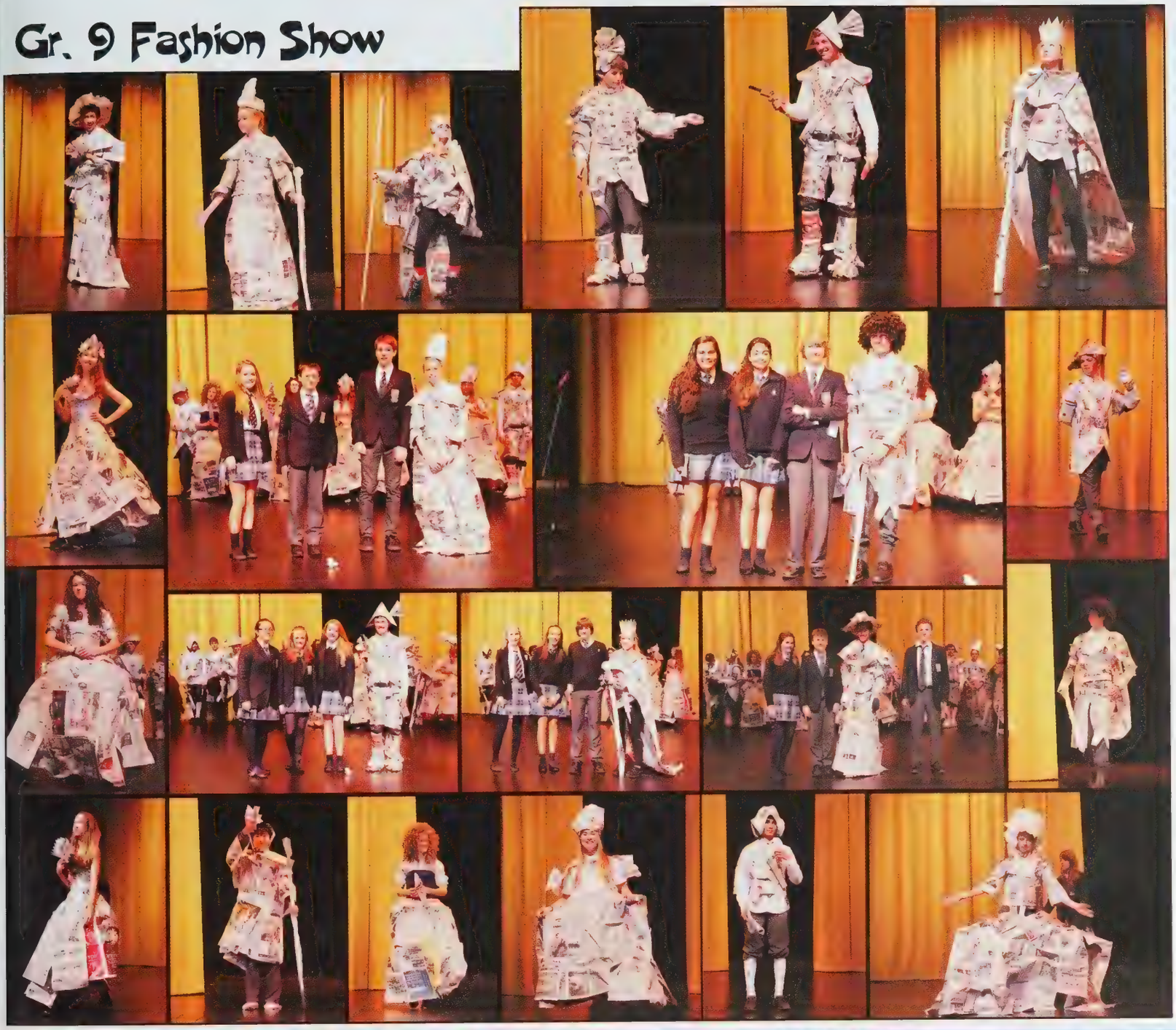
To celebrate Chinese New Year, students could get their name printed in Chinese!

Goodbye Mr. Stanjek



Gr. 9 Socials Games

Gr. 9 Fashion Show



Round Square Movie Night

The Round Square committee organized a movie night. Students from all grades enjoyed watching "Frozen"! In total, $474.75 was collected and all the proceeds went to Prince Alexander Project Fund.

Middle School Swim Team

The middle school swim team practiced every Monday or Friday and was coached by Jen Harvey. The dedicated Middle School swimmers include: Anastasia Castro, Katie Hurst, Henry Down, Nolan Smith, Mark Barr, Liam Turner, Darrian Heatherington, Millar Smith, and Thomas Allan. The swimmers participated in a number of swim meets including: VISSA Swim Jamboree, Victoria Elementary and Middle School Preliminary Swim Meet, and Victoria Elementary and Middle School Championship Swim Meet.

BASKETBALL

SS Senior Boys

The Senior Boys had an amazing season. GNS hosted the Island Showdown, but the team also attended several tournaments in Vancouver. Adam Kwasny and Adam Darcie proved to be powerhouses, leading the team as seniors and captains. Kwasny is ranked second in overall scoring in Victoria's high school basketball league, while Darcie is on track to set an unofficial record for blocks in one season with an average of 22 per game. The team consisted of Grade 12's Adam Kwasny, Adam Darcie, Alasdair Hinton, and Trey Zhu. The Grade 11's were Cameron Graham, Danny de Clare, Amiralli Hassani, Austin Nolt, and Ciam Utley. Congratulations, boys, on all your success and representing GNS so well!

SS Junior Girls

The Junior Girls Basketball team had a very successful season this year. Their record was 8-1 going into the city finals. They were determined and played with heart and great skill, winning the City Championship in the Junior Girls B division against Reynolds who had a much larger team. Members from Grade 9 were Eleana Block, Kirsten Dupuy, Jordan Egles, Emily Forster-Coull, Sylvie Galloway, Kathlyn Macmillan-Denhoff, Kate Moran, and Julie Yu. Tessa Mitchell-Getzlaf was the only Grade 10.

SS Junior Boys

The Junior Boys also had a strong season, finishing with a 3rd place in the ISA's out of 16 teams! The team included Logan Airey, Pierce Colpman, Edward Down, Hunter Hernandez-Morrison, Lewis Hinton and Stuart Purdy from Grade 9 and Chris Ferguson, Nathan Kuehne, Anders Murray-Hemphill, Tai Orser, Spencer Ronnenkamp, and Liam Stanley from Grade 10. Thanks to coaches Mr. Ollech and Mr. Harrison.

SS Senior Girls

The Senior Girls pulled off quite an upset, winning its first Island Championships and booking a place in the Provincials for the first time since 2010! The team included: Grade 9 - Jordan Egles, Sylvie Galloway, Eleana Block, Kirsten Dupuy; Grade 10 - Olivia Kwasny, Ally Bos, Victoria Martens, Kealy Troje Hoyt; Grade 11 - Haley Dupuy, Alex Hughes, Sarah McDonald, Victoria Wells, Kadie Freeman, Morgan Darke, Cachelin Hall, Jessica Froese and Grade 12 - Julianna Bate.

Science Week

Activities were organized for every lunch hour, culminating in the carving of the wonderful nut free cake celebrating George Washington Carver.

MS Grade 6/7 Girls Volleyball

Grade Six - Hailey Gascoigne, Camille Germain, Maiya Hernandez-Morrison, Chloe Hill-Hues, Katie Hurst, Deandra Livora, Tess McCaig, and Megan Vroom.
Grade Seven - Manon Damant, Fallyn Denford, Alessandra di Frassineto, Rachel Diment, Gaby Girard, Siobhan Golonka, Sydney Hemphill, Emma Hofer, Aniela Jarvis, Annie McLeod, Maia Vasko, Rebecca Vesey, Lucy Zhang, Amy Zhao.

MS Grade 7/8 Girls Volleyball

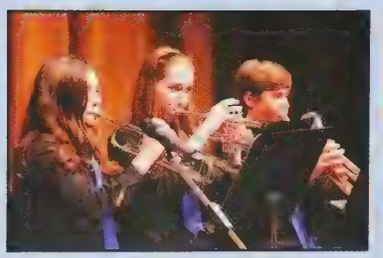
Grade Seven - Kate Brown, Jasmine Lee and Emily Thompson.
Grade Eight - Anna Ciceri, Andrea DeMeo, Caitlin Forster-Coull, Jane Glowicki, Chloe Korol-Filbey, Desiree Leal, Natasha Lloyd-Kruger, Robyn MacMillan, Niki Marriott, Grace Martin, Stella McCaig, Jenna Miller, Renee Rathwell, Chelsea Roberts, Hannah Salomon, Cassie Stead, Isobel Sweeney, Tori Windle, and Marissa Young.

Round Square America's Trip

In late January, the Round Square team of Jordan Egles, Ian Goodall-Halliwell, Lewis Hinton and Johnny Zhuang headed to the YMCA Camp Wanakita in the Haliburton Region of Ontario for a 6 day conference on the theme of "Northern Challenge: What will you discover?" hosted by Bayview Glen and St. Clements School.

JK/Sr Art Show

Grade 11 and 12 Art students drew the head of a famous personality and the JK's sketched in the rest. The Senior students then completed the work, incorporating their young partner's work.



Monday Night Jazz

On Monday, February 17th, the GNS Jazz Orchestra GNS MS Jazz Band and the Don Leppard Big Band performed in the Hall. The Don Leppard Band is a collection of some of Victoria's top jazz musicians including GNS band director, Steve Thompson and the founder of the GNS Band Program, Audrey Bailey. The Don Leppard Band is a huge supporter of school jazz programs and members work with many programs in the city to help instruct students in playing jazz.

Grad Trans

In Grade 12 Graduation Transitions, students share recipes that perhaps they can cook when they're in university! Here is Lauren Caters with her pavlova!

Middle School Bandfest

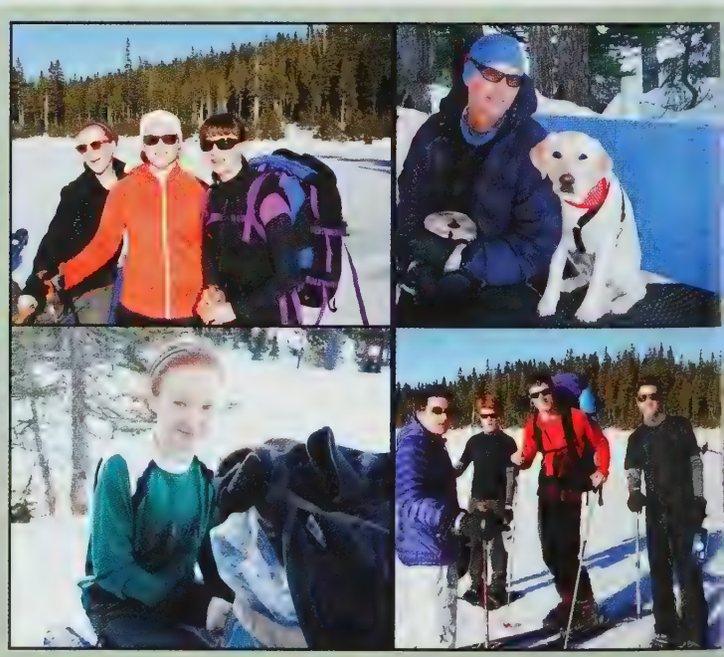
On March 5th, Middle School Concert Band went to UVic to compete at Bandfest. The band received a rating of "Excellent"!

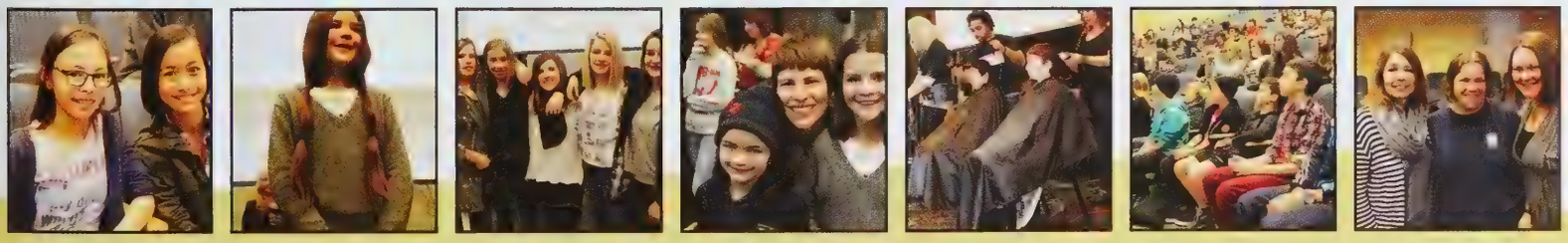
Climbing

A group of devoted climbers continued to meet this term on Mondays and Thursdays at the Crag-X Climbing facility to practice. Rick Lidstone was the climbing instructor for the year.

Snow Camp/ Surf Camp

Students participating in Outdoor Ed 11 traveled to Strathcona Park to participate in a three day snow camp. Students from Outdoor Ed 12 learned to surf up in Tofino.





Middle School Cut-a-thon

On February 28th, Middle School students cut their hair in support of sarcoma cancer. Over 27 bags of hair were collected to be made into wigs for children suffering from cancer and over $12,000 was raised in support of research!

Fiddler on The Roof

Directed by Ian Collet, the Senior School presented the musical, "Fiddler on The Roof" this March. The story is set in Tsarist Russia in 1905 with the protagonist Tevye, a father of five daughters, as he tries to hold on to his family and their Jewish religious traditions in the midst of outside influences encroach on their lives. He must cope both with the strong-willed actions of his three older daughters–each one's choice of husband moves further away from the customs of his faith–and with the edict of the Tsar that evicts the Jews from their village.

Musical direction by Dr. Marvin Regier and Choreography by Arabella Martin.

Cast and Crew include: Thomas King (guest artist), Charlie Kocurek, Olivia Hannigan, Ashleigh Martens, Elizabeth Duncan, Caitlin Ciceri, Hannah Block, Georgia Borissov, Juan Comish, Anders Murray-Hemphill, Eric Yvorchuck, Spencer Ronnenkamp, Connor Slatkoff Sharpe, Thomas Watkins, Konnor Klashinsky, Michael Cooper, Jack Wild, Fraser Rinald, Chloe Freeman, Cameron Hahn, Caitlin Maxwell, Cate Richardson, Chen Xiong,Ilse Loomer Scott, Zachary Wang, Skye Xing, Tony Liu, and David Weaver, Ann He, Tygre Patchell-Evans, Molly Hospers, Alice Xiao, Yingying Zheng, Jivan Bains-Wood, and Maggie Hospers.

Jivan Bains-Wood and Maggie Hospers should be noted for their hard work and dedication as they designed all the costumes for "Fiddler on The Roof!

Special Thanks also to members of the Tech crew who supported the production!

Middle School Round Square

The group prepared a meal at the Mustard Seed on February 28th.

Grade 7 Puppet Show was performed for the Kindergarten classes, who enjoyed playing with the puppets after the show.

Debate

In *December*, the members of the debate team took part in Oak Bay High's annual Golden Gnome Debate. In the Junior division, Michael Cooper and David Weaver came in an amazing first place finish and Ammar Inayatali and Isaac Hordiyuk made it to the quarter-finals. The Grand Finale consisted of Annabel Thorton and Jyotish Khanna debating against Kadie Freeman and Fiona Thompson- two GNS teams!

In *January*, a team attended the Queen's University High School Debate Tournament. Team members included Isaac Hordiyuk, Kadie Freeman, Michael Cooper, David Weaver, Alex Hofer, Thomas Watkins and Fiona Thompson.

In *February*, a large team attended the Vancouver Island Regional Debate Championships. GNS won gold in all three debate classes and advanced 70% of the teams going to provincials - a personal best for our school! Novice Team Award winners: Kris Neilson and Ben Djukastein (gold), Carrie Van Cleave and Hannah Salomon (silver) and Angus Silver and Sam Crocker (bronze). Junior Team Award Winners: Michael Cooper and David Weaver (gold) and Thomas Watkins and Alex Hofer (fourth). Senior Team Award Winners: gold medal tie between the teams of Isaac Hordiyuk and Natalie Salomon, and Kadie Freeman and Fiona Thompson and the bronze medal team was Jyotish Khanna and Annabel Thornton. Individual medals: gold for Isaac Hordiyuk, Michael Cooper and Kris Neilson, silver for David Weaver and Carrie Van Cleave and bronze for Kadie Freeman and Ben Djukastein.

Law Foundation Cup (Provincials) results included Kris Neilson, top Novice Debater, and Sam Crocker, Ben Djukastein, and Carrie Van Cleave, in the top ten Novice Debaters.

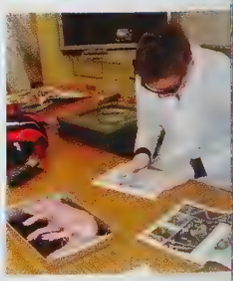
During the Youth Parliament session, Michael Cooper was awarded a new debating medal!

Gwynne Dyer

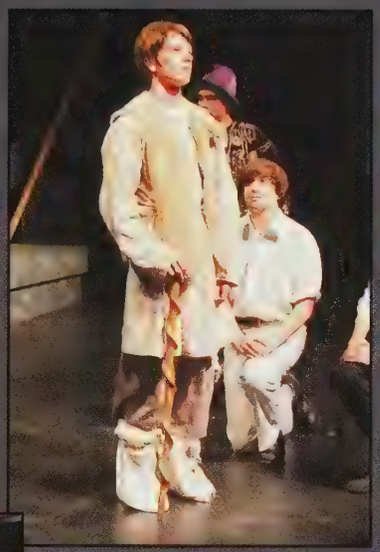
Gwynne Dyer, a freelance journalist, columnist, broadcaster and lecturer on international affairs, came to GNS to speak to the Senior School students about his recent book, Climate Wars.

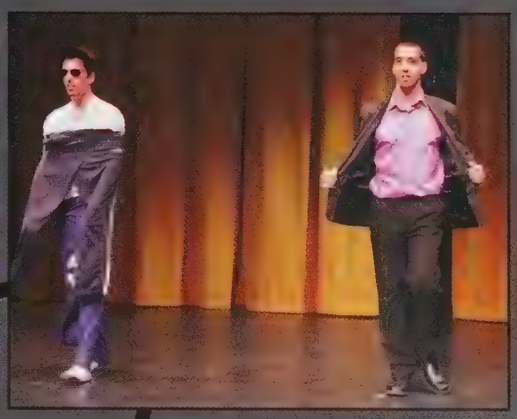
Grade 10 Science Boats

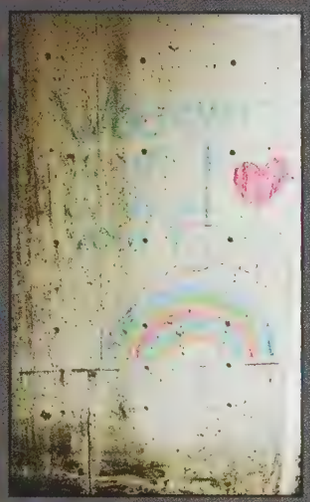
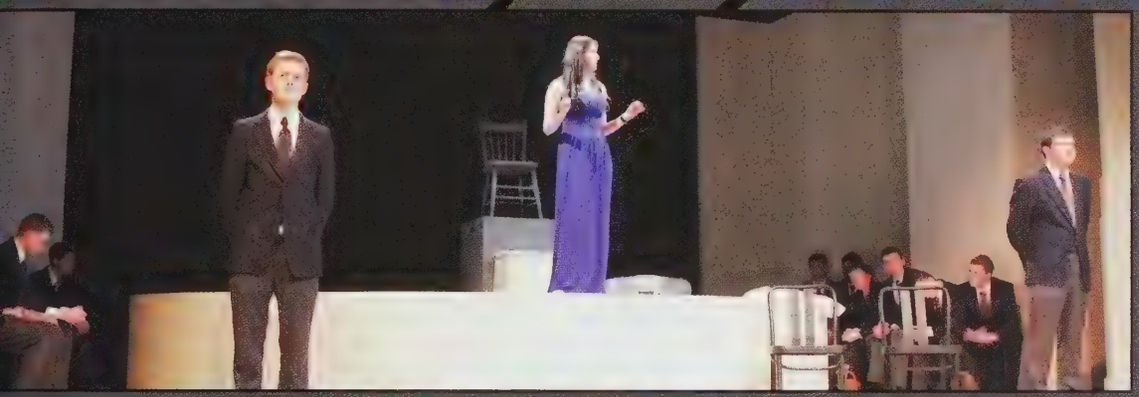
Middle School celebrates the Olympics

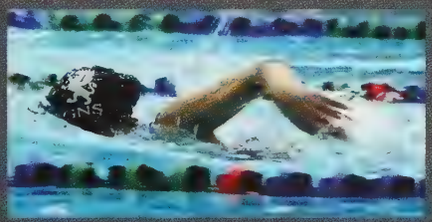


Grade 12 Biology Fetal Pig Dissection





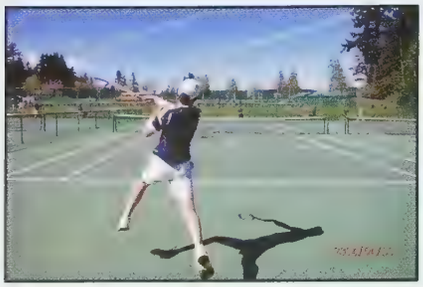





Spring Term

The Tennis Team

This year's Tennis Team was small, but mighty! Working hard, they competed in a variety of matches and practices to harness their skills. The team practiced at the Oak Bay Recreation Centre supervised by Sandy Dreaver and Julia Davidov with coaching from Jared Martin. Students on the Tennis Team include: Adam Kwasny, Chris Wieczork, Ammar Inayatali, Jeremy Liu, Mackenzie Cole, Sam Bohlken-Hern, Zoe Hopkins, Kiara Hopkins, Haley Dupuy, Kirsten Dupuy, Olivia Kwasny, Julia Lamb, and Elaine Kim.



The tennis team at ISA's, where the dynamic sisterly duo of Haley and Kirsten won all four of their double matches

Middle School Badminton

The Middle School badminton team boasted impressive numbers this season. They participated in both league games and city tournaments, displaying athleticism and sportsmanship at every match. They constantly fought hard, honouring their inner Gryphon. The team was sponsored and coached by Ms. Horn and Mrs. McCullough.

At City's, Sam Zhao and Reid Thompson, Mean Vroom and Amy Zhao and Chanmyung Kim made it to the finals! The Beasts of Badminton, Sam and Reid placed third!

The grade 6 members are: Ethan Dickinson, Chanmyung Kim, William Li, Callum Robertson, Megan Vroom, Amy Zhao, Sam Zhao, and Robin Zhang. The grade 7 members are: Iain Betts, Di Deng, David Huang, Nancy Huang, Annie McLeod, Dex Owen, Nolan Smith, Rebecca Vesey, and Harry Zhang. The grade 8 members are: Alan Chen, Sam Crocker, Caitlin Forster-Coull, Anna Harama-Bedard, Niki Marriott, Kristopher Neilson, Jasmyne Storm, and Hamish Vaughan-Wimmer.

Senior School Badminton

This was the team's second year back in the league after an absence of over 15 years. Other coaches are worried, as GNS is showing they have the core of a strong team for the coming years.

Grade Nine City Championships:
Julie Yu – third in Girls Singles
Evin Lim – City Champion in Boys Singles.
Grade Ten City Championships:
Vivienne Zhang – second in Girls Singles
Jeremy Liu – City Champion in Boys Singles.

The team was sponsored and coached by Mr. Brown: Julie Yu, Vivienne Zhang, Elisa Cheng, Sylvie Galloway, Andrea Hermann, Krislene Mariano, Jeremy Liu, Evin Lin, Tony Liu, Ken Niu, Oliver Dason, Chen Xiong, and Zackary Wang.

The Sailing Team

The GNS Sailing Team is a dedicated group of students who, led by Mr. Paul Mais, learned and enjoy the art of sailing! The team's members include: Anders Murray-Hemphill, Aviva Wang, Chloe Freeman, Danielle Thoms, Marina Sanchez, Raymond Liu, Sam Crocker, Finley Ballantyne, Johnny Zhuang, and Amy Blandford.

MS Young Round Square Conference–South Africa

This year, four middle school students (Maia Vasko, Jasmine Lee, Heather Ellard-Webster, and Nolan Smith) travelled with Ms. Kim Waugh and Ms. Rhona Crossley to the Young Round Square Conference which took place in Johannesburg, and Cape Town, South Africa. Senior School students Maddy Marchildon and Julianna Bourjeaurd volunteered as student leaders for this international conference.

Gr. 7 & 8 Marine Adventure

In April, students participated in a kayaking trip with the GNS Marine Adventure Program and the Power to Be staff at the GNS Junor School Campus. The students departed from the Junior Campus and kayaked the seashore to Cattle Point and back. A number of GNS teachers and GNS Marine Adventure Program Coordinator (and Certified Sea Kayak Guide), Doug Tyrrell, and two Power To Be staff supervised the event.

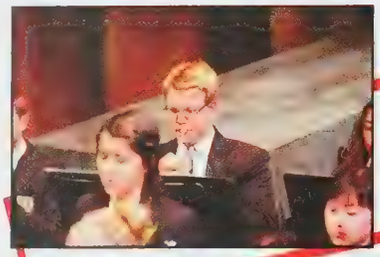
Middle School Public Speaking

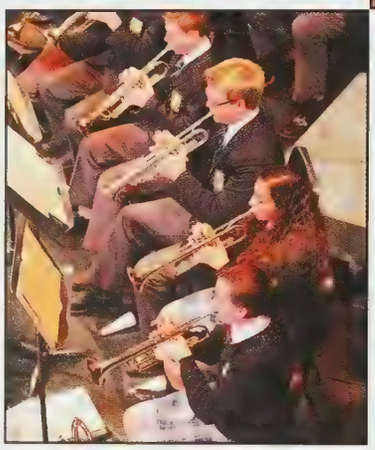
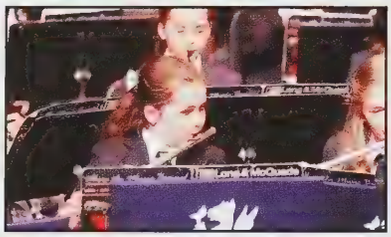
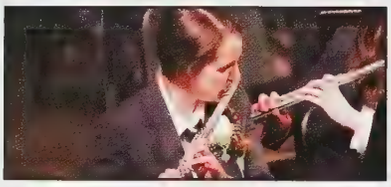
Three Grade 6's: Leo Prosalendis, Jakob Svorkdal and Maddie Harris with 3 Grade 7's: Isabella Moyer, Rachel Diment and Emily Thompson went to the ISEA Public Speaking competition at Southpointe Academy in Tswassen. Rachel won the gold medal!!

Middle School Band at Festival

Both the Grade Six Beginner Band and the Middle School Jazz Band performed in the Greater Victoria Performing Arts Festival and received adjudications.

Spring Band Concert



Brockton School Marimba Performance

Hullabaloo

Congratulations to our Slam Poetry Team who finished 3rd in their Provincial tournament! Julianna Bate, Molly Hospers, Skye Spaulding and Claire Venn-Skillman had a justifiably proud coach, Ms. Marie Specht.

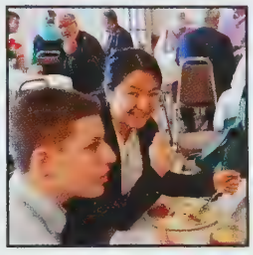
Gr 10 Drama Festival

Never Swim Alone

Drama 10, with an extra, performed at a drama festival at Langham Court. ACTivate was a festival for inspiring theatre.

Susan Sun Surreal Photography

International Club's Ukrainian Dinner

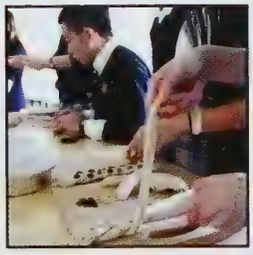


Jazz Night

Spring Choir Concert

Senior School Bands at Festival

The Senior School Concert Band received an Superior Plus rating at the Vancouver Island Concert Band Festival, a qualifying festival and rating for Nationals! The Jazz Orchestra won a Silver at the West Coast Jazz Festival. Great results for this year's band groups!



Ukrainian Braided Bread Making with the International Club

Middle School Boys Rugby

Grade 6: Jackson Miller, Leo Prosalendis, John Windle
Grade 7: Ciaran Breen, Henry Down, Lewis Fallis, Noah Fekete, Christopher Graham, Evan Guildford, Ethan Stanger, Jakob Svorkdal, and Alex Wells.

Middle School Girls Field Hockey

Grade 6: Erin Addison, Beth Ankerson, Camille Germain, Maddie Harris, Chloe Hill-Huse, Megan Vroom
Grade 7: Cassidy Brumby, Manon Damant, Di Deng, Alessandra di Frassineto, Siobhan Golonka, Emma Hofer, Ella Hoogewerf, Nancy Huang, Annie McLeod, Jenna Reist-Millward, Lynden Taylor, Emily Thompson, Rebecca Vesey.
Grade 8: Anna Ciceri, Andrea DeMeo, Jane Glowicki, Niki Marriott, Renee Rathwell, Cassie Stead, Marissa Young.

No photos available because the riders went by too fast

Cycling Club

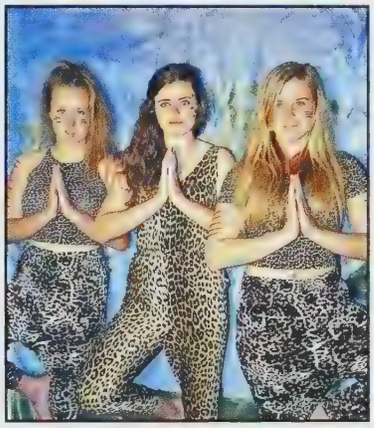
The cycling club has had a wonderful season this year, participating in 9 different events. Its members include: Eloi Batista, Ian Goodall-Halliwell, Chris Ferguson, Spencer Lee, Francesco Navarro Roby, and Evan Thoms. The club was sponsored by Mr. Reeves and Dr. Dorian.

SS Round Square Exchange and Homestay Programs

The Senior School provides wonderful opportunities for Round Square School Exchanges. Fortunately enough, this term we were able to host some students: Cameron Young in Gr. 10 from Australia, Louisa Buck in Gr. 10 from Germany, and Laura Schulz in Gr. 11 from Switzerland.

April and May

"Jungle Fever"



On April 17th, the S.A.C. coordinated the year's final dance "Jungle Fever"!

Group IV Project

All students in Grade 11 Science spent a day at Swan Lake participating in a Group IV project.

MS Track & Field

Coaches: Leah Stott and Randy Ollech. **Team:** Matthew Alexander, Mark Barr, Iain Betts, Carlos Chuquillanqui, Andrea DeMeo, Andrea Egan, Heather Ellard-Webster, Caitlin Forster-Coull, Camille Germain, Charlotte Germain, Siobhan Golonka, Maddie Harris, Sydney Hemphill, Liam Hoogewerf, Katie Hurst, Izzy Irvine, Drew Jackson, Chanmyung Kim, Chloe Korol-Filbey, Desiree Leal, Leo Livora, Robyn MacMillan, Grace Martin, Stella McCaig, Tess McCaig, Dex Owen, Leo Prosalendis, Renee Rathwell, Chelsea Roberts, Hannah Salomon, Millar Smith, Bjorn Svorkdal, Jakob Svorkdal, Reid Thompson, Khalil Tuff, Joel Verrier, Megan Vroom, John Windle, Amy Zhao, and Sam Zhao.

SS Track & Field

Team includes: Jason Bradbury, Emily Forster-Coull, Cam Graham, Cameron Hahn, Anna Letkemen, Aiden Longcroft-Harris, Francis Mbroh, Jesse O'Neil-Bains, Megan Reist-Millward, and Liam Stanley.

Results: Megan Reist-Willard - a new pb in 800m, Emily Forster-Coull - 2nd in 200m, Jesse O'Neill-Bains - 1st in 200m, Jason Bradbury - 1st in shot put, Liam Stanley - 3rd in 1500m.

Sr. Girls Rugby

This team and it's coaching staff exhibited outstanding sportsmanship, commitment and dedication to their sport throughout the season and made us all very proud. They went undefeated in the Final Tournament to win the LVISSAA Rugby 7's Championship Bowl. There is no Island Championship to vie for and there is no Provincial banner to pursue in Rugby 7's, but this group of young women represented GNS as if it was the Olympic gold. The student leadership was inspiring. They truly played with truth and courage!

Coaches: Andrea Robertson, Wendy Topic, and Shane Muldrew.

The team includes: Eleana Block, Ally Bos, Adrienne Graham, Cachelin Hall, Kathlyn Denhoff, Caitlin Maxwell, Tessa Mitchell, Laura Norwood, Kealy Troje Hoyt, Victoria Wells, Julie Yu, and Grace Ruthven

Sr. Boy's Rugby

Grade 10: Brennig Prevost, Jamie Shillington, Jackson Vesey
Grade 11: Cameron Graham, Noah Mullin, Akila Sato-Gaudreau, Will Gorham, Austin Wild, Ciam Utley, Austin Nolt, Stephen Ewald, Danny De Clare, Tom Halliwell, Ammar Inayatali, Chris Groves
Grade 12: Liam Shillington, Patrick Granegger, Jason Bradbury, Adam Kwasny

April 4th - Langford Cup 7s Tournament, defeating Cowichan SS 29-5; Brennig Prevost was named tournament MVP.

MS & SS Jr. Girls Soccer

This team had a combination of students from the Middle School and the Senior School. Middle School students included Anna Ciceri, Andrea DeMeo, Andrea Egan, Caitlin Forster-Coull, Charlotte Germain, Chloe Korol-Filbey, Desiree Leal, Robyn MacMillan and Tori Windle. Senior School students included Carly Egan, Rebecca Griffith, Olivia Kwasny, Jessa Broeren, Caitlin Ciceri, Corinna Darcie, Kirsten Dupuy, Emily Forster-Coull, Simrin Kaloti, Shalini Khanna, Ilse Loomer-Scott, Kathlyn Macmillan-Denhoff, Ellice Maxwell, Talia Mitchell, and Claire Wheaton. Coaches were Gabie Ciceri and Sofie Campbell. Bunny Hughes was the teacher sponsor. The girls narrowly missed qualifying for the Junior Island Championships and did well at the Junior ISA Championships.

SS Sr. Girls Soccer

Accomplishments:
Bronze at the Best of the Best Tournament
1st place in Island 'A' Championship 2014

Team Members: Kyra Bohlken-Hern, Diana Chkipov, Jessica Grundmann, Zoe Hopkins, Allie Szwender, Annabel Thornton, Morgan Darke, Haley Dupuy, Kadie Freeman, Jessica Froese, Cachelin Hall, Julia Lamb, Chloe Loomer-Scott, Lexy Stewart, Paige Wheaton, Kiara Hopkins, Lynaea Korol-Filbey, Caleigh MacPherson, Ellie McLeod, Megan Reist-Millward

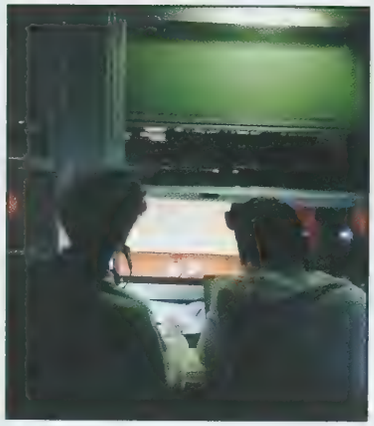
Soccer Tour

A group of boys and girls soccer teams to Munich and Amsterdam over the Spring Break, leaving March 12th and returning Monday, March 24th.

Boys: Finley Ballantyne, Jason Bradbury, Mackenzie Cole, Lucas Darke, Rhys Fletcher-Berna, Geoffrey Harper, Andrew Hindi, Mathew Hindi, Kirk Lumley, Francis Mbroh, Fraser Rinald, Jack Schneider, James Shillington, Liam Shillington, Hunter Watson, Joe Whysker, and Chris Wieczorek.

Girls: Kyra Bohlken-Hern, Diana Chkipov, Morgan Darke, Jessica Grundmann, Cachelin Hall, Kiara Hopkins, Zoe Hopkins, Caleigh MacPherson, Alexandra Szwender, Annabel Thornton, Paige Wheaton, and Jessica Froese.

Chaperones and Planners: Duncan Brice, Joanne Bruce-Lockhart



Set and Sound Design – Ms. Kate Pagett
Choreography/Dance Captain – Tanvi Manak
Stage Manager – Connor Slatkoff Sharpe
Assistant Stage Manager – Elizabeth Duncan
Running Crew – Georgia Borissov, Charlie Kocurek
Set Construction - Mike Kuss, Julius Maslovat
Set Painting – Carole Klemm
Lighting Design – Rebekah Johnson
Lighting Operator – Geoff Ewert, Robert Garfat

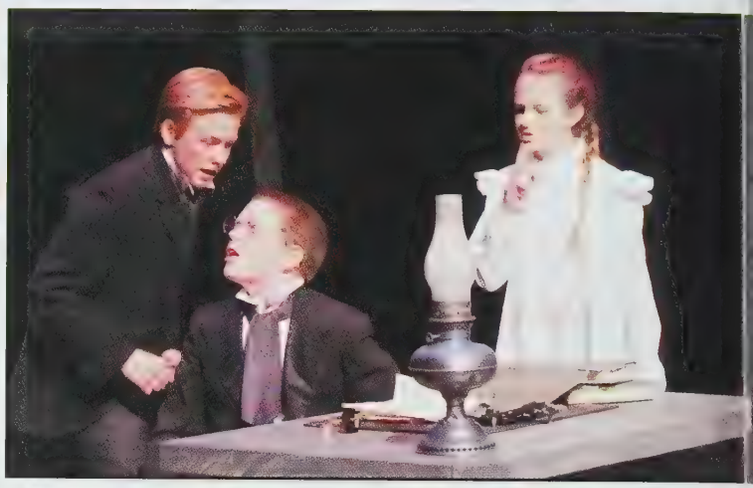
TECH SUPPORT

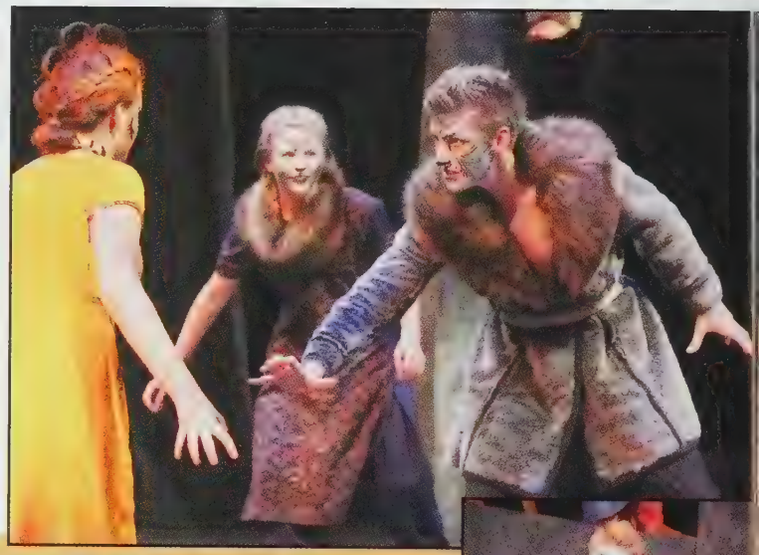
Backstage Supervisor – Ms. Amy Cannell
Puppet Coaching – Ms. Dawn Schell
Sound Operator – Geoff Ewert, Spencer Ronnenkamp
Costumes – Ms. Margaret McCullough, Marlene Guillmette, Marlene Palmer, Maggie Hospers
Makeup – Sparkle Shack Body Art
Hair/makeup – Jackie Howie, Carrie Van Cleave
Publicity – Mr. Hugh Williams, Cheryl Alexander
Front of House – Ms. Trina Tisot
Special – Ms. Naz Halani
Puppets – Timothy Gosley
Dance Help – Simrin Kaloti

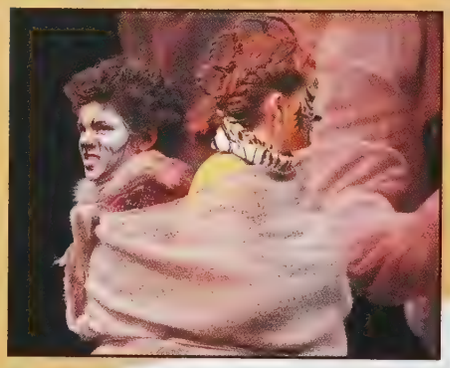
THE JUNGLE BOOK

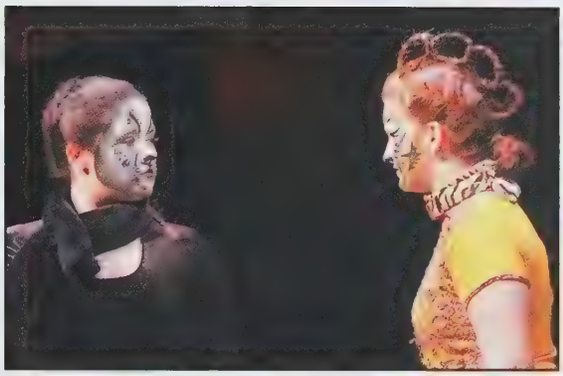
Director – Ms. Kate Pagett
Assistant – Ms. Amy Cannell

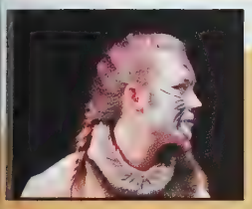
Rudyard Kipling – Thomas Allan
Fielding – Angus Silver
Hanley – Caitlin Steves
Headmistress Price – Caitlin Forster-Coull
Chaplain Willies – Patrick Wieczorek
Master Crofts – Leo Livora
Akela, leader of the wolves – Lucas Darke
Mother wolf – Maddie Harris
Wolf cubs – Kate Crocker, Izzy Irvine
Tabaqui the jackal – Khalil Tuff
Young Mowgli – Kai Wicke
Shere Khan – Hannah Salomon
Wolves – Colby Earnhart, Chloe Hill-Huse, Jenna Miller, Millar Smith, Liam Turner, Marissa Young
Baloo – Kirs Neilson
Bagheera – Tori Windle
Mowgli – Sebastian Wicke
Rann – Kate Addison
Hathi – Daniel Yvorchuk
Kaa – Marissa Smithson
Monkeys – Ava Acomba, Gaby Girard, Sydney Hemphill, Katie Hurst, Lucy Zhang
Messua/School girl – Bree Mc Elvaine
Dari/School girl - Manon Damant
Birds - Erin Addison, Fallyn Denford
School girl/leopard/elephant - Beth Ankersen
School Girl/bird/elephant – Aniela Jarvis
School girl/elephant – Jenna Reist-Millward
School boy/gorilla - Matthew Alexander
School girl/bear – Camille Germain
School girl/red panda – Deandra Livora
School girl/leopard – Megan Vroom
School boy/sloth – John Windle

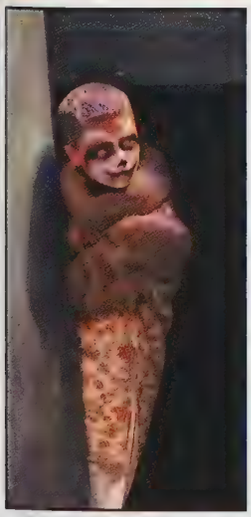


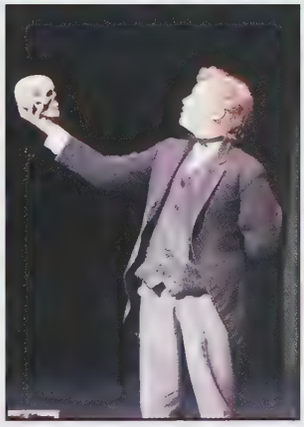












Vancouver Island Regional Science Fair

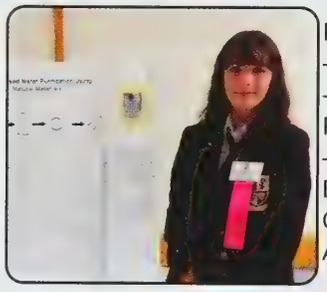
On April 13th and14th, GNS students Max Stewart, Alice Xiao, Jessa Broeren, Chloe Freeman, Rowan Damant, Jesse O'Neil-Bains, Joseph Sutton-Tafe, Nathan Kuehne, Fiona Thompson, Elizabeth Duncan, Faseeha Gondal and Bryn Longcroft-Harris participated in the Vancouver Island Science Fair. Each and every student worked very hard to prepare for the fair and Ms. Dallin, GNS supervisor for the fair, was very proud of everyone that participated! Congratulations to everyone as the team won many awards!

Chloe Freeman:
- 5th Overall
- NSERC Recognition Award
- Chair's Award–Faculty of Science, UVic
- Quarky Science Prize

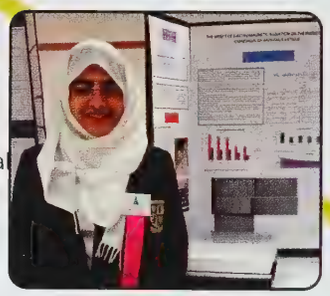
Max Stewart:
- Royal Astronomical Society of Canada, Victoria Centre Award
- Science Works Prize

Alice Xiao:
- Michael Crooks Physics Award

Nathan Kuehne:
- 3rd Overall
- Nathan Geminiano Award
- Starfish Medical Award
- WE Coates Award
- Genome BC Award
- Ocean River Sports Prize



Fiona Thompson:
- 4th Senior Division
- Macmillan Publishers Award
- Applied Professional Engineers and Geoscientists of BC Award

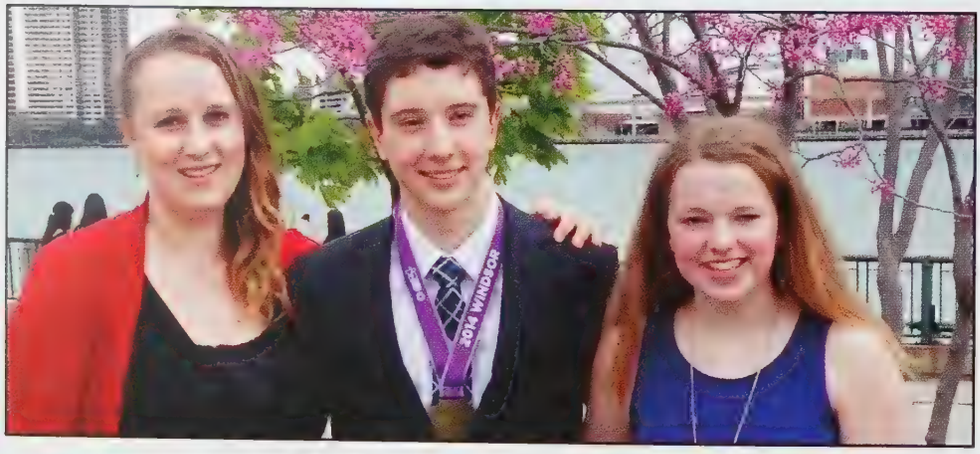


Faseeha Gondal:
- 5th Senior Division

Bryn Longcroft-Harris:
- 1st Senior Division
- BC Agriculture in the Classroom Award
- BC Hydro Scholarship

Elizabeth Duncan
- 2nd Senior Division
- BC Institute of Agrologists Award
- Rotary Club of Victoria Award
- Canadian Meteorological & Oceanographic Society Award
- College of Applied Biology Award
- Division for the Advancement of Women in Engineering & Geoscientists of BC Award
- Victoria Harbour Ferry Prize

Canada Wide Science Fair



This year, the Canada Wide Science Fair took place in Windsor, Ontario. From May 10th to May 17th, two GNS students, Nathan Kuehne and Chloe Freeman, participated in the fair. They both were amazing representatives of GNS! Special congrats to Nathan who won a gold medal for his project as well as two other prizes- the Canadian Society for Medical Laboratory Science Award and the Health Challenge Award! Great job!

Ultimate Frisbee

Members of the Middle School had a great time playing ultimate frisbee with Ms. Davidson! They learned many new skills, from different ways to throw a frisbee to learning how to intercept a frisbee! Ciaran Breen, Nikolas Crabtree, Sam Crocker, Henry Down, Matthew Geng, Nicole Gonin, Christopher Graham, Darrian Heatherington, Scott McCollom, Kris Neilson, Kaya Oro Martin, Dex Owen, Callum Robertson, Dylan Samphire, Ronen Somogyi, Lynden Taylor, Emily Thompson, Hamish Vaughan-Wimmer, Sebastian vig Wicke and Tori Windle were all part of the ultimate frisbee team.

World Partnership Walk

Students from both Middle and Senior School participated in the World Partnership Walk. Many students came to help end global poverty. Congratulations to GNS for earning the group donation award for the World Partnership Walk last month for the most number of donations! Between donations and freezie sales, we raised over $600 for maternal and child health in regions such as Afghanistan and Syria.

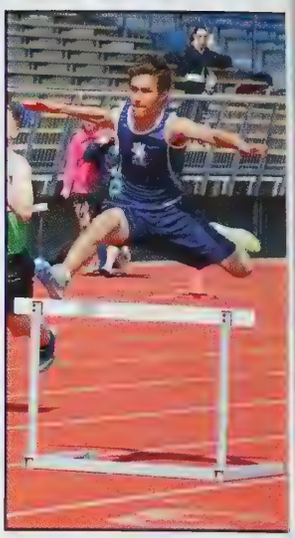
Hiking Club

A new club was introduced to the Senior School–the hiking club! Rachael Keighan, the Environmental Prefect, got together a group of students who wished to hike in Victoria. They enjoyed hiking and spending time together!

Individual Achievements

Ride to Conquer Cancer
Jill Graham from the Beach Campus, Kim Waugh from the Middle School and Lucho Davidov from the Senior School rode from Vancouver to Seattle on June 14th through 15th.

Michael Cooper
attained a place with the Debate Team Canada Development Program.



Jesse O'Neil Bains, at the Island Track and Field Championships earned the title of Grade 9 300 m hurdle Champion!

Out Trips

Nordic Adventure

On Friday, April 4th, The grade 6's went up to Mt. Washington Ski Resort to 'classic' cross-country ski in the morning, break for lunch at Raven Lodge, and then snowshoe for the afternoon. They left at 5:30 am and arrived home tired at 7:00 pm after having perfect weather!

Historical Walking Tour

On Wednesday, April 16th, The grade 10's went on a historical walking tour called 'Discover the Past', starting at the Royal B.C. Museum and finishing at Market Square.

MS Round Square

had a bake sale at lunch on April 14th to raise money to help build a computer lab for a school in South Africa.

Grade 12 Happy Day

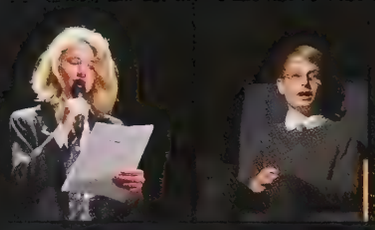
was May 1st, right before IB Exams started.

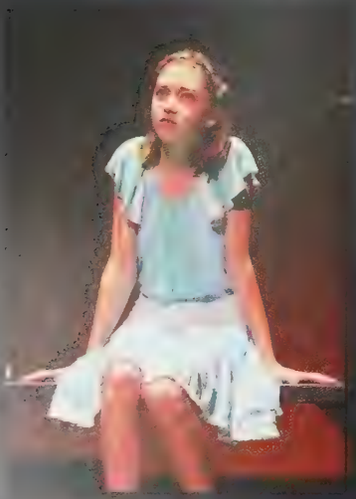
MS U13 Girls Soccer

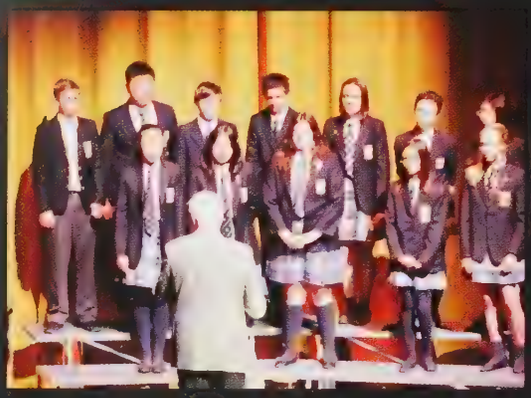
Coach: Tassy Davidson
Grade 6: Erin Addison and Camille Germain
Grade 7: Kate Brown, Alessandra Di Frassineto, Rachel Diment, Siobhan Golonka, Nicole Gonin, Sydney Hemphill, Emma Hofer, Bree McElvaine, Annie McLeod, Kaya Oro Martin, Jenna Reist-Millward, Lynden Taylor, Emily Thompson and Leah Zack.

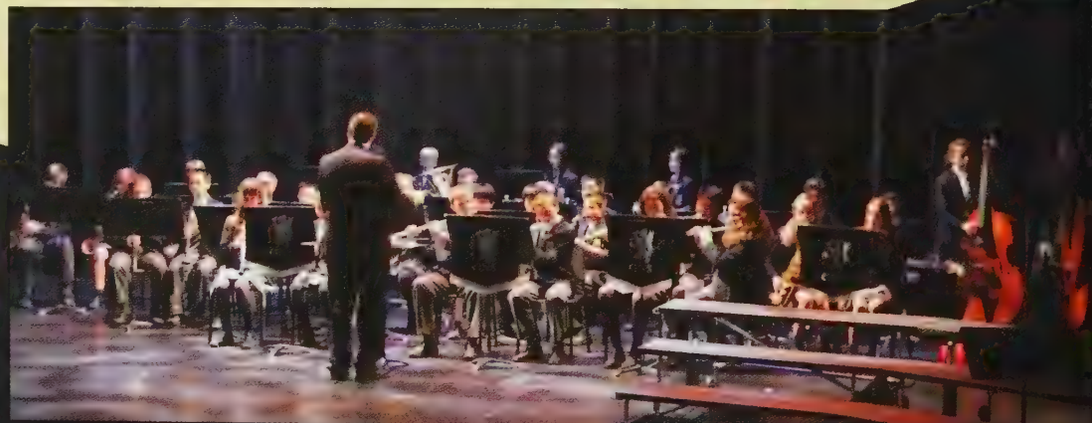
The team went to Vancouver to play a soccer tournament at West Point Grey.

Celebrate MY Arts





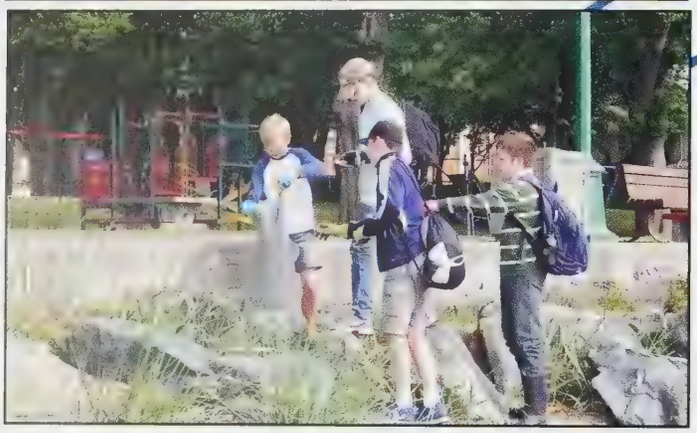




Celebrate the Arts

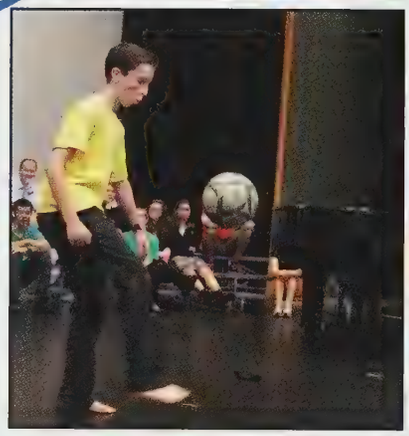
MS Day of Service - June 16th

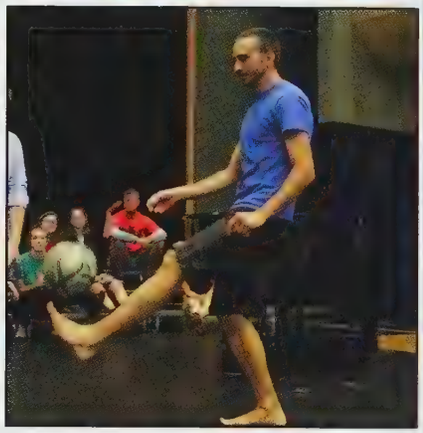
The entire Middle School headed to various beaches to participate in a beach beautification activity. The students were busy for 4 hours!



MS House Competition - May 30th

Teachers and students from different houses faced off in a variety of events including: soccer ball juggle, breath holding, and orange peeling.

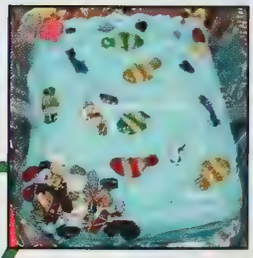




Seaside Garden Party

Cakes & Cakewalk

The cakewalk was extremely popular and the cakes available were spectacular!



Entertainment

Entertainment was provided by the Senior and Middle School Bands.

Activities

There were crafts for kids to do and snacks and plants for sale. The face painting was kept busy.

Gr. 6 Kayaking

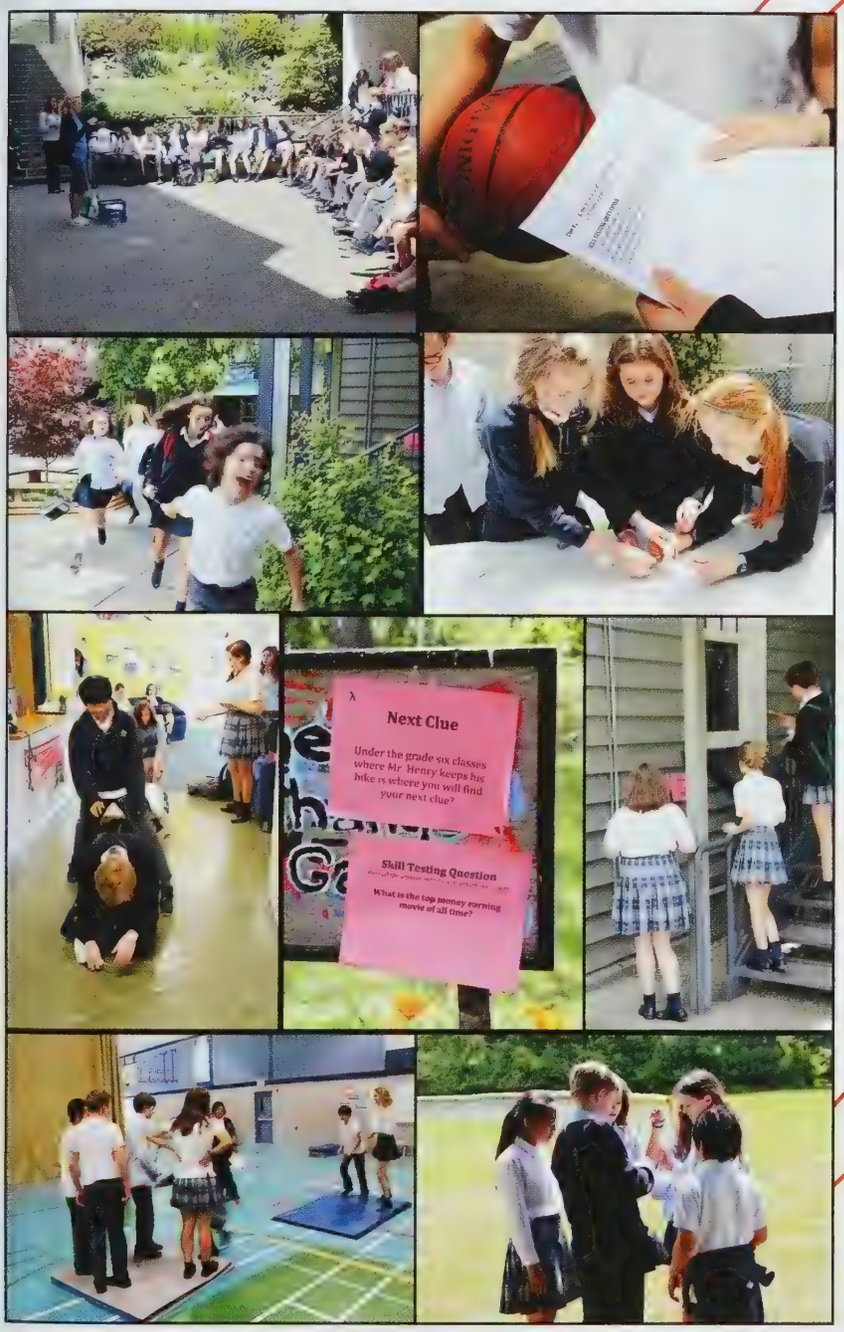
All the Grade Sixes had an opportunity to practice their kayaking skills late in the term.

Alternative Transportation

Everyone in the Middle School got involved in Bike to Work Week in early June.

MS Amazing Race

The entire Middle School spent a great lunch hour in June, competing as conference groups in The Amazing Race. The race consisted of 30 clues that took them all over campus. At most stations there was a skill testing question that the students needed to answer and write onto their team answer page. The questions were a mix of review for their academic subjects as well as some fun trivia. There were also some "team challenge" stations in which the students had to complete an activity in order to gain access to the next clue.



MS Junkyard Regatta

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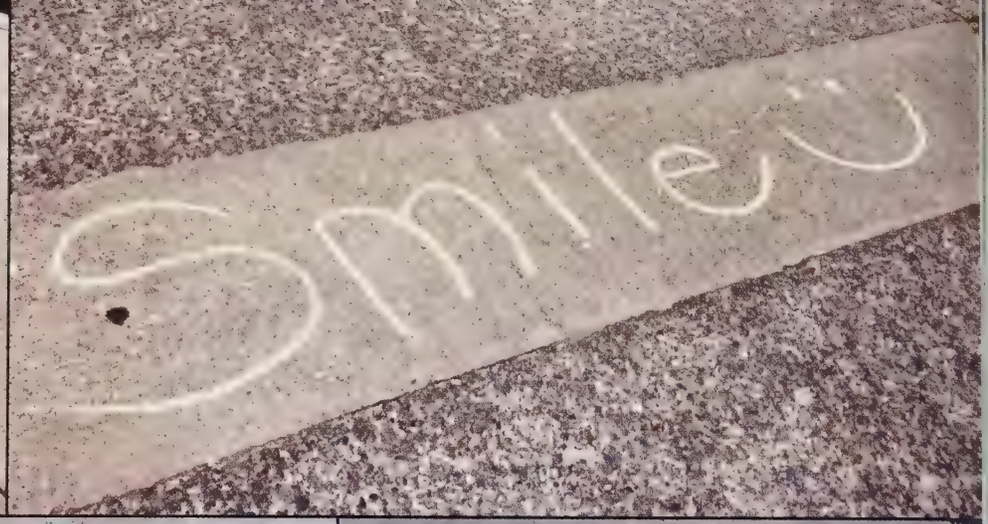
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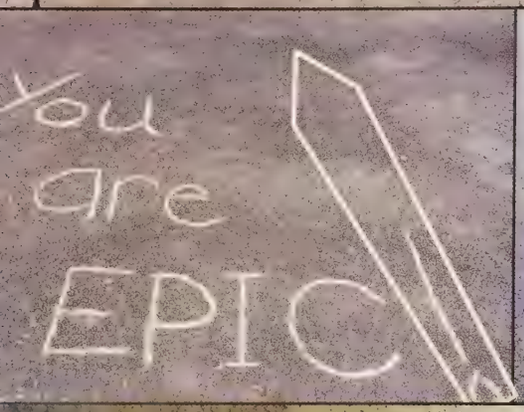
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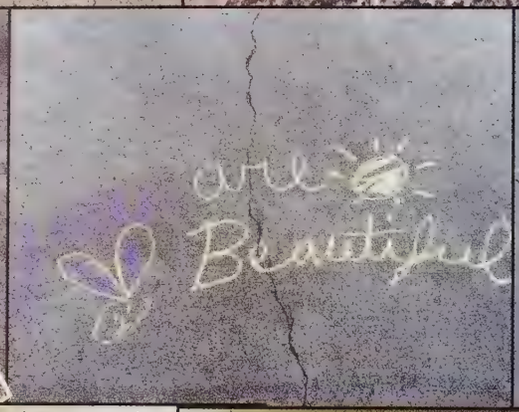
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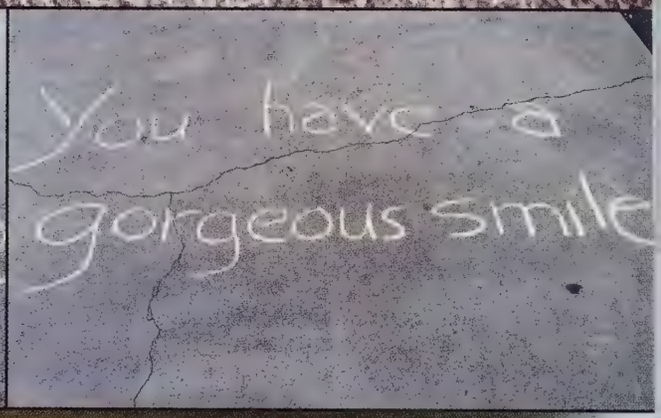
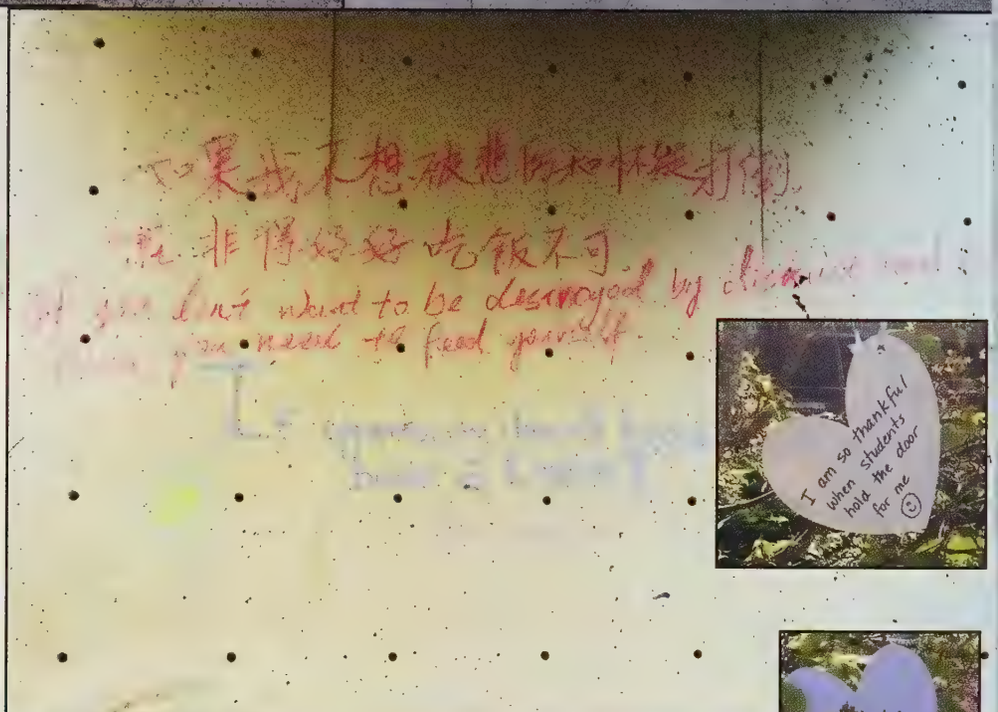

You have a gorgeous smile

Whenever you fall down, you will get up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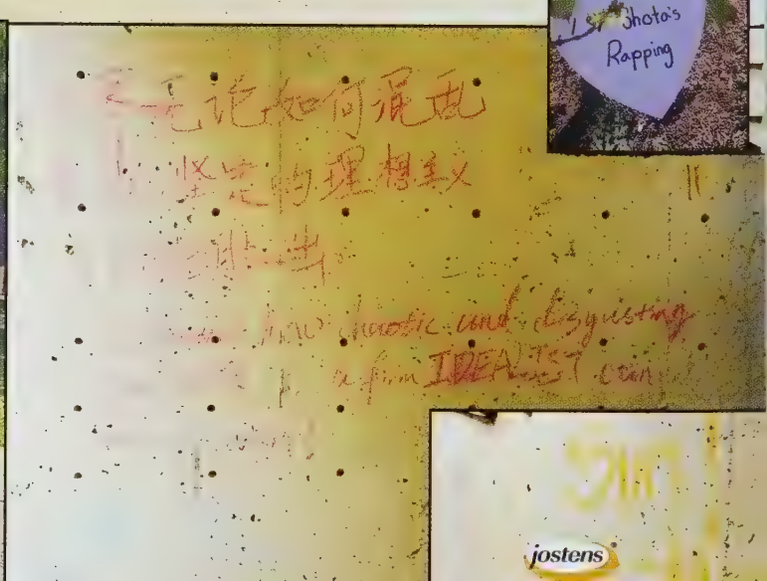
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POP CULTURE

Robin Thicke's controversial single
Columnists and bloggers on both sides of the Atlantic express moral outrage over "Blurred Lines,".

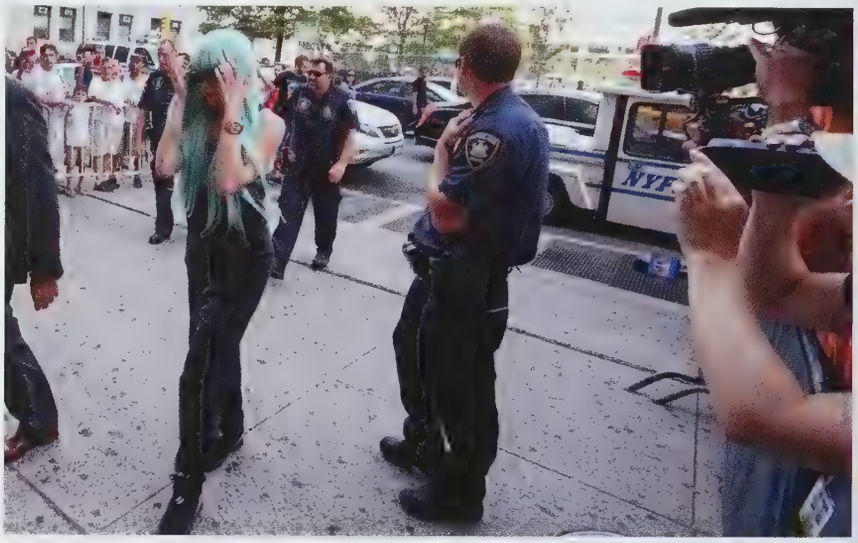
Jennifer Lawrence is a healthy role model
Hunger Games actress Jennifer Lawrence speaks out against how the entertainment industry pressures women to be skinny rather than strong

Harlem Shake goes viral
A song and dance move becomes an Internet meme and a global YouTube sensation with uploaded versions from school groups, companies, and sports teams.

Kim + Kanye = Kimye
Several months after their daughter North is born, reality star Kim Kardashian and rapper Kanye West announce their engagement.

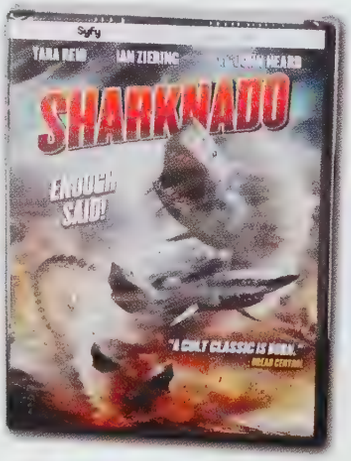
Amanda Bynes

After months of bizarre behaviour, Twitter outbursts, and run-ins with the law, Amanda Bynes is committed to an inpatient rehabilitation centre.



Pretzel

A New Twist
Pretzels are the latest fad food. Fast food restaurants introduce new sandwiches on pretzel buns. Pretzel-based snack foods soar in popularity.



Sharknado demonstrates the power of Twitter
Sharknado, a deliberately silly made-for-television disaster movie on the SyFy channel, becomes a Twitter phenomenon.

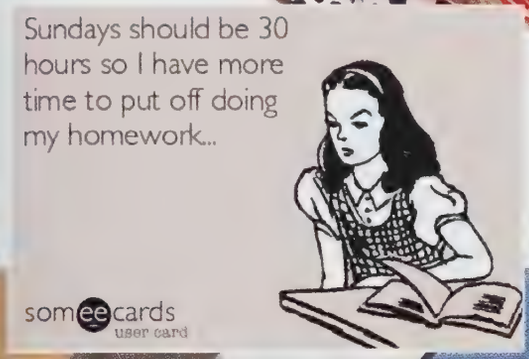
Smooth Move
Kids take over the family blender to make quick, healthy fruit and veggie smoothies for breakfast or afternoon snacks.

Better with Bacon

It's not just for breakfast anymore. Trendy restaurant chefs and home cooks add bacon to everything from appetizers to desserts.

The dip dye look

Hairstylists report that their customers, male and female, are asking for ombré hair color that starts dark at the roots and becomes gradually lighter toward the ends. This hair trend has been spotted on many A list celebrities



Advertisers Connect With Social Media Users

Consumer brands like Ford and The Home Depot are featured on Someecards, the humorous electronic greeting cards users share on Facebook.

#hashtag

Everyone's Using Hashtags

The Twitter #hashtag helps users connect to trending topics; entertainers, sports figures, and consumer brands get in on the act.

Top 10 buzzwords, according to Time:

1. Binge-watch
2. Shutdown
3. Selfie
4. Twerk
5. Catfishing
6. Snapchat
7. Whistleblower
8. Bitcoin
9. Emoji
10. Thanksgivukkah

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Keep Calm and Be Silly

"Keep Calm and Carry On", a British slogan from World War II, inspires parodies like "Keep Calm and Have a Cupcake."

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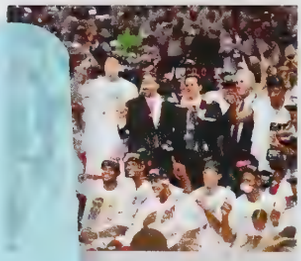
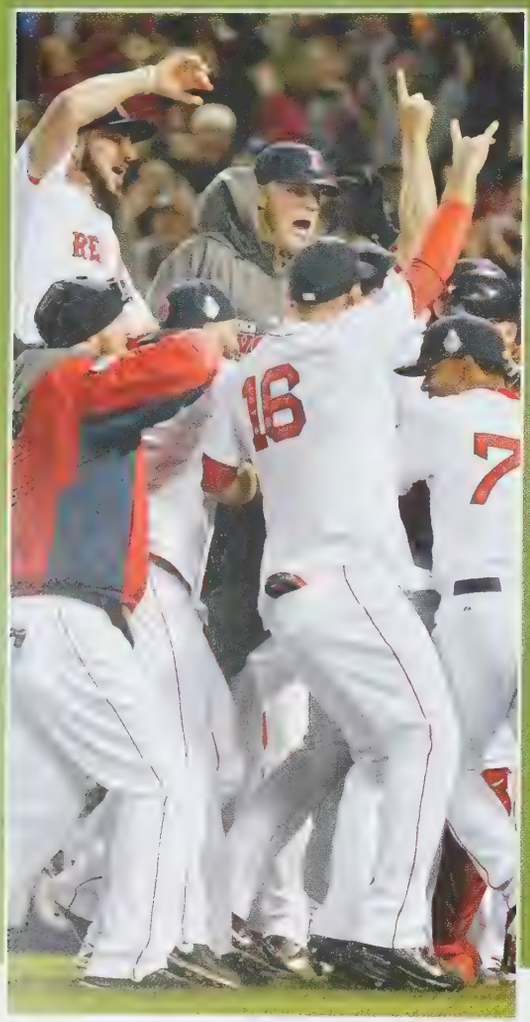


NBA title is repeat for HEAT
LeBron James and the Miami HEAT defeat the San Antonio Spurs to win the NBA championship for the second year in a row.

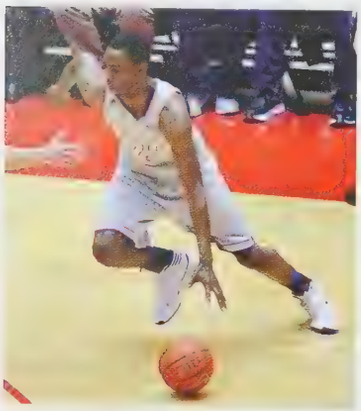


Sox Win the Series
As the Fenway Park crowd roars, the Boston Red Sox beat the St. Louis Cardinals 6-1 in Game 6 of the World Series.

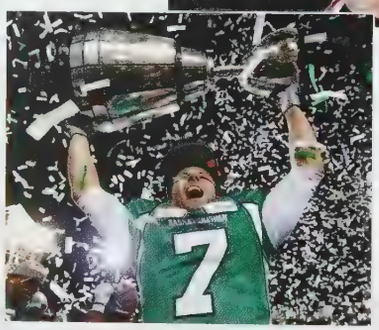
Bennett is first NBA draft pick
After playing one season for the University of Nevada Las Vegas, Toronto's Anthony Bennett is chosen by the Cleveland Cavaliers as first overall pick in the NBA draft.

Sherbrooke hosts Canada Summer Games
Athletes travel to Sherbrooke to compete in Canada's largest multi-sport competition for amateurs in the first Summer Games to be held in Quebec.

Blackhawks claim the cup
The Chicago Blackhawks win their second Stanley Cup in four years, defeating the Boston Bruins in Game 6 of the NHL championship finals.



Small forward, big future
In his first year at the University of Kansas, college basketball player Andrew Wiggins of Thornhill, Ontario, is a top prospect for the 2014 NBA draft.



Mosaic Stadium gives Roughriders home-field advantage
The Saskatchewan Roughriders defeat the Hamilton Tiger-Cats in the 101st Grey Cup with a score of 45 to 23.

Seahawks Win Super Bowl
The Seattle Seahawks achieve a decisive, 43 - 8 victory over the Denver Broncos to claim the Lombardi Trophy in Super Bowl XLVIII at New Jersey's MetLife Stadium.

OLYMPICS

Canada wins 25 Olympic medals
Team Canada brings home 10 gold, 10 silver, and five bronze medals from the Sochi Winter Games.

Canada wins gold in women's hockey
The Canadian women's hockey team brings home its fourth consecutive Olympic gold medal by defeating the US 3–2.

Carrying the flag for Team Canada
Bobsled gold medal winners Kaillie Humphries and Heather Moyse are Canada's flag-bearers for the closing ceremony at the Winter Olympics.

Sisters Achieve Medals in Sochi
Justine Dufour-Lapointe, 19, wins Olympic gold in the freestyle skiing moguls event; her sister Chloe, 22, takes the silver.

Men's hockey team takes Olympic gold
The Canadian men's hockey team outshoots the Swedes in their second straight shutout, winning the gold medal with a final score of 3–0.

Curlers celebrate double gold medals
For the first time ever, Canada's men's and women's curling teams win gold at the same Olympics.

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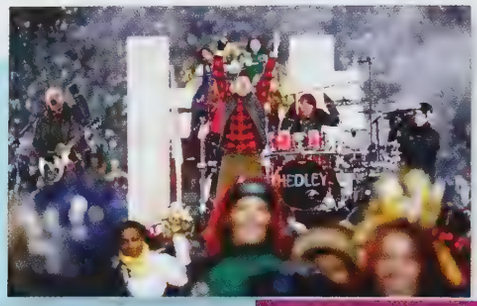


Hedley at halftime
At the 101st Grey Cup halftime show, Hedley performs Anything. A snowmobiler zooms up a ramp and flies over the stage during the performance.

Drake debuts third album
Nothing Was the Same, Drake's third studio album tops the charts in Australia, Canada, Denmark, the United Kingdom, and the United States.

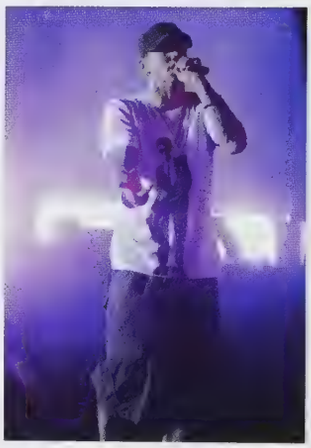
Katy Roars
Katy Perry's power pop song, "Roar", the first single from her fourth album, *Prism*, tops music charts in the United States and eight other countries.

Avicii blends and bends genres
By combining country and electronic/house music on his single, "Wake me up," Swedish artist Avicii tops pop charts around the world.

Taylor Swift headlines "Secret" show
Taylor Swift performs "I Knew You Were Trouble" at the Victoria's Secret fashion show in New York

One Direction

The band, fondly known to fans as 1D, releases their second album, *Midnight Memories*, and a 3-D concert film, *This Is Us*.



Eminem is back on top
The Marshall Mathers LP 2 puts Eminem at the number 1 spot on the Billboard charts. The release is his eighth studio album.

Jay-Z unveils new album
Magna Carta Holy Grail is Jay-Z's twelfth studio release. The album features guest artists such as Justin Timberlake, Swizz Beats, Frank Ocean, and Pharrell.

Bieber takes a turbulent turn

Troubled teen idol Justin Bieber threatens to retire after making headlines for misbehaving in New York, Rio de Janeiro, and Toronto.

Kanye declares himself world's best

After Kanye West tells an interviewer that he is the "No. 1 rock star on the planet," Jimmy Kimmel Live pokes fun at him in a skit and a Twitter war ensues.

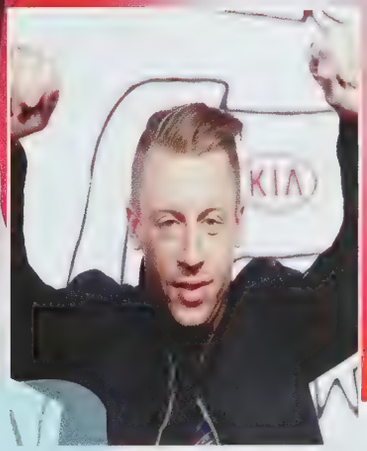
Bublé hosts holiday special

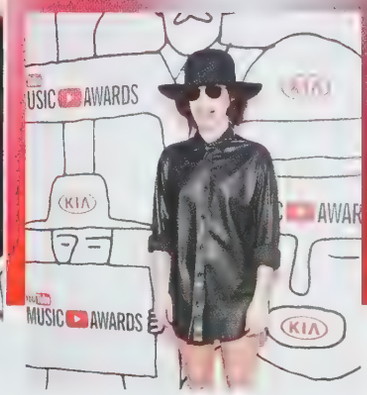
The Michael Bublé Christmas special features guest performances and appearances by Mary J Blige, Mariah Carey, and Cookie Monster.

Justin Timberlake

Timberlake Tops Twice

20/20 – 2 of 2 is Justin Timberlake's second chart-topping album of the year. The release debuts at Number 1 on the Billboard 200 album chart.





Canada's top 10 downloaded songs:

1. **Timber**, Pitbull featuring Ke$ha
2. **Say Something**, Great Big World & Christina Aguilera
3. **Counting Stars**, One Republic
4. **Let Her Go**, Passenger
5. **Dark Horse**, Katy Perry featuring Juicy J
6. **Hey Brother**, Avicii
7. **Team**, Lorde
8. **Demons**, Imagine Dragon
9. **Story of My Life**, One Direction
10. **Wake Me Up**, Avicii

iTunes

Macklemore single supports gay marriage

Hip-hop artist Macklemore produces a touching video for his single, "Same Love," which expresses his support for same-sex marriage.

Video stars gather for live awards webcast

Taylor Swift and Eminem are among the winners at the first-ever YouTube Music Awards, an unscripted event hosted by Jason Schwartzman and Reggie Watts.

HEADLINES

Via Rail train collides with double-decker bus

An Ottawa bus crashes a gate and collides with a passenger train. The rush hour collision sends 30 bus passengers to hospital. Six are killed.

World Mourns Madiba

The death of South Africa's first black president, the anti-apartheid activist Nelson Mandela, inspires heartfelt tributes around the world

North Korea Defies Sanctions

Under Dear Leader Kim Jong-Un, North Korea threatens to declare war on South Korea and claims to be preparing for a fourth nuclear test.

Trudeau earns eighty percent of the vote

Justin Trudeau emerges with a decisive victory from a field of six candidates to win the leadership of the troubled Liberal Party of Canada.

Toronto mayor admits to smoking crack

After Rob Ford admits to using crack cocaine, Toronto City Council votes to strip him of most of his mayoral powers.

Gay premier is Canada's first

Ontario Liberal Leader Kathleen Wynne is the sixth woman premier and the first openly gay premier in the nation.

Teen activist tours to support new book

Sixteen-year-old Malala Yousafzai, who survived being shot by the Taliban, travels the world to advocate education for all children.

Alberta floodwaters recede

After cleanup and recovery from the costliest natural disaster in Canadian history, the city of Calgary considers plans to prevent future flooding.

Top 10 Medical Breakthroughs of 2013

1. A toddler born with HIV is functionally cured
2. More people on statins to treat cholesterol
3. Home pregnancy test that estimates time since ovulation
4. Cloning of human egg produces embryonic stem cells
5. Single-dose vaccine for HPV
6. Hair follicle transplant advances
7. Faecal microbe treatment via capsule
8. In vitro activation for ovarian insufficiency
9. Newly discovered genes linked to Alzheimer's
10. Early detection of Parkinson's disease

Time Magazine

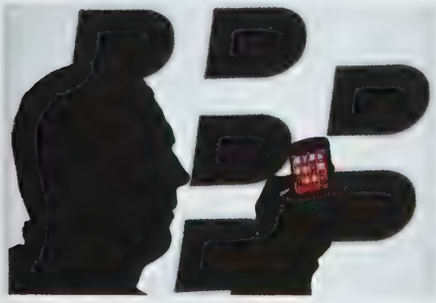
RCMP foils Canada Day terror plot

Two B.C. residents are accused of plotting to place pressure cooker bombs at the provincial legislature in Victoria during Canada Day celebrations.

Astronaut is multimedia star

Commander Chris Hadfield publishes a book and achieves YouTube stardom by singing David Bowie's "Space Oddity" in a video recorded on the space station.

Lac-Megantic Disaster



The BlackBerry falls on hard times

Smartphone competitors such as the iPhone and Android devices eclipse the BlackBerry, once the industry leader in wireless handheld devices.

Explosive accident rocks Lac-Megantic

More than 1,000 residents of this Quebec town are evacuated after a derailed train carrying crude oil ignites a massive fire.

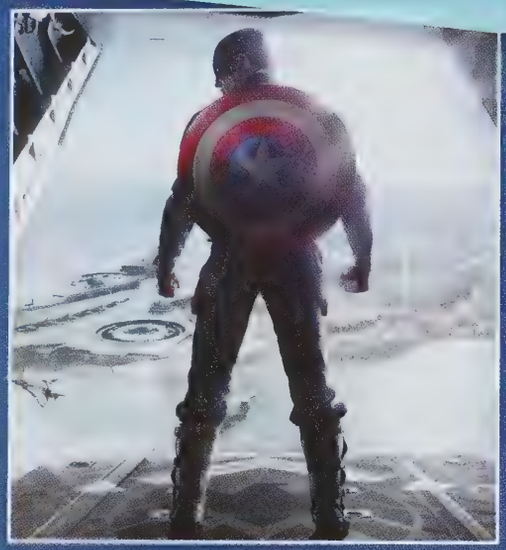
Christmas by candlelight

Toronto residents endure several days without power after an ice storm causes a blackout during the holiday season.

MOVIES

A Supernatural Education
The first film adaptation of Richelle Mead's popular series of young adult books is released as *Vampire Academy: Blood Sisters*.

A Sinister Future Calls for a Clever Heroine
The first book in Veronica Roth's dystopian trilogy is adapted for the big screen. Shailene Woodley stars as Beatrice "Tris" Prior in *Divergent*.



The First Avenger Comes Back for Seconds
Marvel's Captain America returns to the big screen to stop a shadowy assassin in *Captain America: The Winter Soldier*.

A Classic Romance for a New Generation
Downton Abbey creator Julian Fellowes adapts the story of Shakespeare's star-crossed lovers for the big screen in *Romeo & Juliet*.

Meanwhile, in Middle Earth
Bilbo Baggins treks across the silver screen in *The Hobbit: The Desolation of Smaug*, the second of a three-part series based on the J.R.R. Tolkien novel.

Pirates

A Real-life Pirate Story
When desperate Somali pirates hijack the American cargo ship *MV Maersk Alabama*, its captain undergoes a life-threatening ordeal in *Captain Phillips*.

A Heroic Success
Thor saves the universe from the dark intentions of the evil Malekith as *Thor: The Dark World* earns more than $500 million worldwide.

A Gifted Teen Masters Games of War
Andrew "Ender" Wiggin is a brilliant boy recruited by the military to help save Earth from an invasion of evil aliens in the sci-fi thriller *Ender's Game*.

***Frozen* Gets a Warm Reception**
Critics and audiences fall for Disney's *Frozen*, the computer-animated musical tale of princess siblings, a magic snowman and a kingdom trapped in eternal winter.

Transformers Return to Theaters

Earth is once again in danger, as humankind contends with the dangers of technology and the struggle between good and evil in *Transformers 4: Age of Extinction.*

Astronaut Movie Hits the Stratosphere

Gravity, a feature film starring Sandra Bullock and George Clooney as astronauts in danger, earns a record-breaking $55.6 million on its opening weekend.

Catching Fire

Katniss Sets Box Office Ablaze

Box office receipts of $161 million from the first weekend of *The Hunger Games: Catching Fire* set a record for the best November opening of all time.

Most-viewed Top 10 on Netflix

1. Orange Is the New Black
2. Flight
3. Russell Peters: Notorious
4. Taken 2
5. How I Met Your Mother
6. Jack Reacher
7. Family Guy
8. Colombiana
9. Californication
10. Arrested Development

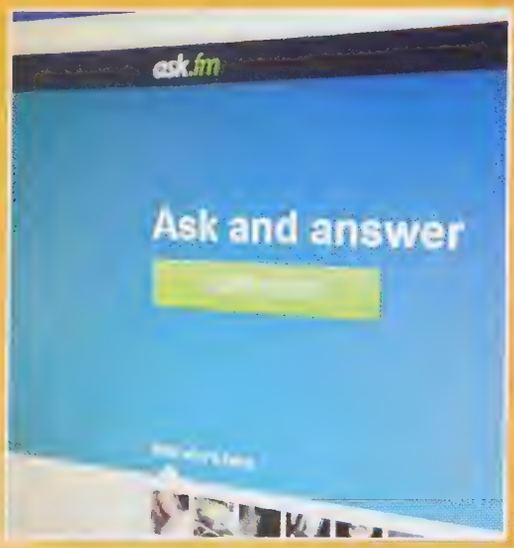
netflix.com

Spider-Man Swings Back for a Sequel

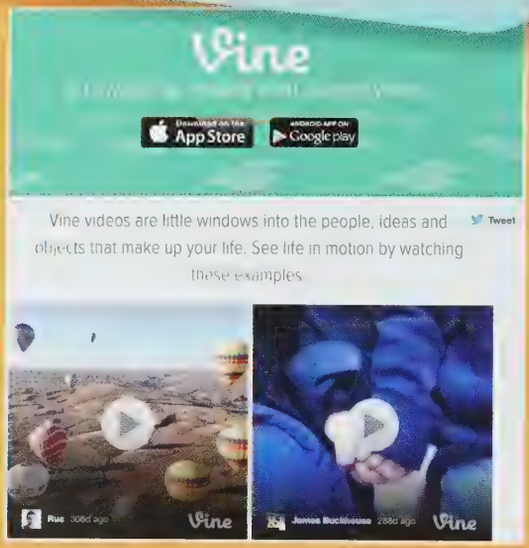
New York is once again threatened by evil villains with formidable powers. Andrew Garfield returns to play the title role in *The Amazing Spider-Man 2.*

SOCIAL MEDIA

iPhone 5S Garners Praise
Apple introduces its latest iPhone with an improved camera, TouchID fingerprint sensor and best-in-class motion sensors.

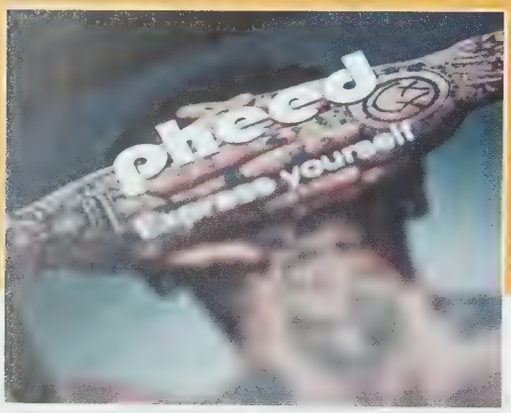


Controversy Surrounds Social Networking App
Ask.fm, a social networking app where users post questions and comments anonymously, is linked to cyber bullying.



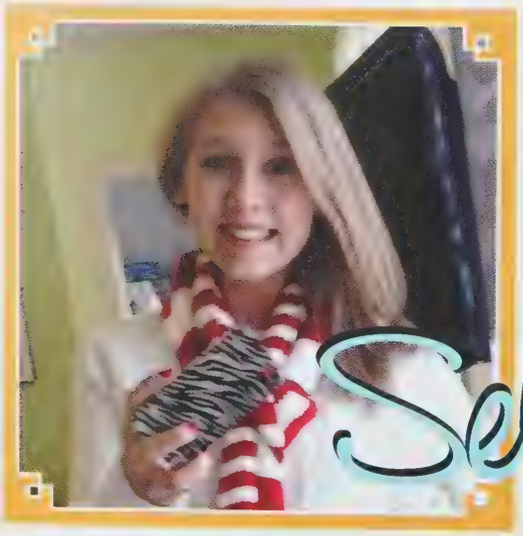
Vine of the Times
Vine, the new social video network where people upload six-second mini-movies, called "Vines," attracts more than 40 million users in just 10 months.

Game Builds Success Block by Block
Minecraft, an open world game that gives players the freedom to shape their own worlds, hits $33 million in sales across all platforms.



Facebook Faces New Rival
A new social networking app called Pheed — which combines features from Facebook, Instagram, Twitter, and YouTube — attracts younger users

Hump Day Ad Garners Heaps of Shares
GEICO's "Hump Day" ad, starring an annoyingly gleeful camel, is one of the year's most popular, with more than 4 million shares on social media.



Even Parents Know What it Means
The term "selfie," coined by social media users to describe self-portrait snapshots, is officially added to the lexicon by dictionary publishers.

Fox Video is a Viral Hit
"The Fox (What Does the Fox Say?)," a music video by a Norwegian comedy team, Ylvis, goes viral with more than 192 million views on YouTube.

Canada's Top Free App Downloads of 2013

1. Candy Crush Saga
2. Snapchat
3. Youtube
4. 4 Pics 1 Word
5. Google Maps
6. Temple Run 2
7. Vine
8. Facebook
9. Instagram
10. BBM

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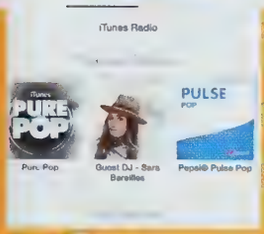


Apple's New iTunes Radio™

Apple introduces iTunes Radio, where online subscribers can hear selections based on songs they've purchased.

Pictures Disappear on Social Media

Teens share photos fleetingly on Snapchat, a popular app where content disappears after only one to ten seconds.

Candy Crush

Deliciously sweet fun

They Get the Boy and the Prize

"I Got a Boy," by Girls' Generation, a Korean K-Pop group, wins the top prize at the first-ever YouTube Music Awards.

Game Company Cashes In

The company that produces Candy Crush Saga reports earnings of $650,000 per day from users who pay to unlock premium features.

Smartwatch Sells Well

Despite so-so reviews by technology columnists, the Galaxy Gear smartwatch achieves better-than-expected sales.

ENTERTAINMENT

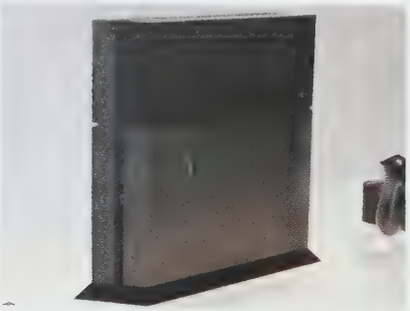
Sounds Colorful
The must-have headphones of the moment, Beats Solo HD by Dr. Dre, are available in a range of colors with a matte finish.

Reality heads north
A popular reality show is adapted for Ontario treasure hunters. Storage Wars Canada debuts on OLN.

Home chefs compete
Professional restaurateurs Claudio Aprile, Michael Bonacini, and Alvin Leung judge the cooking of amateurs in Masterchef Canada.

Popular shows earn dubious distinction
The most illegally downloaded shows, according to TorrentFreak, are Game of Thrones, Breaking Bad, and The Walking Dead.

Trailblazing film franchise reaches a milestone
Science-fiction fantasy fans around the world celebrate the 30th anniversary of Star Wars VI: Return of the Jedi at commemorative screenings



PlayStation Plays to Win
A poll shows that gamers strongly prefer Sony's PlayStation 4 to Microsoft's competing Xbox One

Walter White says goodbye
After five seasons, the TV drama Breaking Bad airs its final episode, which draws 10.3 million viewers.

Fox is funny in primetime
Michael J. Fox returns to TV with The Michael J. Fox Show, portraying an anchorman contending with family life and Parkinson's disease.

Rogers partners with the NHL
Rogers Communications signs a 12-year deal with the National Hockey League giving the company exclusive, national rights to all NHL games.

***Glee* Garners Awards**
The Teen Choice Awards presents *Glee* with the award for Choice TV Show: Comedy. The musical comedy series also picks up eight People's Choice Award nominations.

Cable Providers Offer Netflix Streaming
Cable companies try cooperating with rival Netflix so customers can get streaming content straight from their cable boxes.

Zombie Invasion

Zombies are back by popular demand
The walkers and the survivors of The Walking Dead, the post-apocalyptic horror drama series, return for a fourth season.

Top 10 searches by visitors on Yahoo Canada

1. Miley Cyrus
2. Rob Ford
3. BlackBerry
4. Kim Kardashian
5. Fifty Shades of Grey
6. New iPhone
7. Robin Thicke
8. Kate Middleton
9. Kate Upton
10. Syria

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Secret missions behind enemy lines
Activision's Call of Duty: Ghosts is released for the next-generation Xbox and PlayStation 4 game consoles

THIS & THAT

In the Hood
Hoodie pullovers aren't just for the gym. The comfy, cozy, casual style is an everyday classic for cold-weather wear.

High-performance Sportswear
The compression shirt is designed with features athletes need, like fast-drying fabrics, heat-trapping layers, unrestricted stretch, and flat seams.

Yoga Pants Bend the Rules
Stretchy, comfortable yoga pants are a popular fashion choice, even among those who don't know a plow pose from a downward dog.

Royal Baby

Prince Charming
Britain's royal family welcomes baby Prince George, first son of Prince William and Catherine, Duchess of Cambridge.

Super Mario 3D Debuts
Nintendo releases *Super Mario 3D World* for the Wii U console. The video game is the sequel to *Super Mario 3D Land*.

Catholics welcome Argentine Pope
Pope Francis is elected the 266th Pope of the Catholic Church. His strong opinions about ministering to the poor make headlines around the world.

"Cronut" burger topping causes food poisoning
More than 79 cases of food-borne illness are traced to the maple bacon jam condiment on "cronut" burgers served at the Canadian National Exhibit.

Top 10 cool cars of 2013

1. BMW 4 Series coupe
2. Cadillac CTS
3. Chevrolet Silverado High Country
4. Fiat 500 L
5. Infiniti Q50
6. Jaguar F-Type convertible
7. Jeep Cherokee
8. Rolls Royce Wraith
9. Mazda 3
10. Mercedes-Benz CLA

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Top 10 Technology gadgets in 2013

1. Google Chromecast
2. Apple's new iPads
3. Oculus Rift Development Kit
4. Pebble Smartwatch
5. Apple iPhone 5s
6. Microsoft Xbox One
7. Amazon Kindle Fire HDX
8. Nest Protect
9. Leap Motion Controller
10. Nokia Lumia 1020

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